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### **Greenwood begins** work on ridgeline development regs

After updating Greenwood's Subdivision Ordinance and developing a new Site Plan Ordinance the town's Comprehensive Plan Implementation Committee is bracing itself to tackle ridgeline development.

It's expected to be a challenging exercise, in part because of the decidedly mixed feelings such regulations stir up, and also of the numerous variables that apply in ridgeline

The committee met last week to begin its work, and left the meeting with more than 50

The material, assembled by Town Manager Kim Sparks, includes a sampling of ridgeline regulations that have been adopted in other areas of the country, including Lyme, N.H. and Stowe, Vt.

Any ridgeline regulations developed by the committee are likely to be included in a revised version of the town's Land Use Ordinance.

That document is currently

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SPREADING

**HOLIDAY SPIRIT** Dave Freiday of Earth De-

signs Associates spent Monday morning hanging holiday wreaths on utility poles on Main Street in Bethel. Here, perched atop his truck and decked out in a Rudolph cap, he places a wreath on a pole near the railroad tracks on lower Main Street.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

### Up on the ridges you may pay per view, but just how much?

The increasing number of ridgeline homes has prompted debate about the impact on the viewscape.

But, from another perspective, what about the impact of the view on the assessed value of a ridgeline home?

In New Hampshire, assessors employ a formula to factor in the view in arriving at a property value. A view of a wellknown mountain, for instance, or a 180-degree panoramic view rather than a 45-degree one can boost valuations. Assessors even have a view manual to guide them.

But in western Maine, say some local assessors, the impact of a view is an indirect one.

"The view drives the market price up, which in turn would increase the assessed value," said Wade Rainey, Beth-See VIEW page 2

### Misdial E-911 and the police will still turn up at your door

Hangups add

to workload

By ALISON ALOISIO

The holiday season, and the added stress it brings, is upon us. It's the time of year when call, you might have hit 911 on

domestic violence incidents increase, making the holidays a busy time for police and other law enforce-

during busy ment officials. It's made even busier when some- holiday season. one dials 911 by

mistake. Residents may be surprised to learn that the line long enough to talk to even if they call the number inadvertently, it will likely still result in a visit from a po-

The circumstances In a hurry to make a phone

speed dial, or perhaps you meant to dial 411. Or maybe your 5-year-old was playing with the phone.

When you, or your child realize the error, you might just hang up. Or you might stay on

an Oxford County dispatcher

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### New WMNF plan calls for expanded wilderness, maintaining ban on ATVs

After nearly a decade of planning, the White Mountain National Forest will soon have a new management plan, one that calls for expanding wilderness areas and keeping logging at roughly its current level.

The 15-year plan for the 800,000-acre forest also continues to prohibit the use of all-terrain vehicles, except on designated winter trails and on open roads where they meet state motor vehicle standards. ATV groups had been pushing for summer

Though the plan issued Friday reduces the amount of timber than can be harvested each year from 35 million board feet to 24 million board feet, officials said the reduced amount still is higher than what is typically harvested. Logging interests wanted to maintain the current limit.

Some conservation groups, meanwhile, pushed to have as many as 100,000 additional acres to be added to the 114,000 acres designed as wilderness areas. The new plan calls for des-

ignating about 34,500 acres as wilderness areas that can not be developed in any way.

The Forest Service held more than 100 public meetings and collected more than 6,000 written comments about the plan since it began the updating process in 1997. Under the final proposal, 47 percent of the forest could be used for campgrounds, trails, ski areas, snowmobiles and other high-impact activities. "Dispersed recreation," such as snowshoeing, cross-country skiing and hiking, would be protected in 53 percent of the forest.

Most of those who participated got something they wanted, said Charlie Niebling of the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests.

"The nature of public land management is fundamentally one of compromise," he said. "You've got to strike a balance." That's what the new plan represents, said New Hampshire's

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### LADDER UP

The Newry Fire Department's new aerial ladder truck arrived at the Sunday River Fire Station Sunday. Made by the Metz company of Heidelberg, Germany, the truck features a 105-foot ladder with a bucket on the end. This is a view looking down from the bucket with the ladder extended. For more information on the truck and a ground-level photo, please see page 10.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

The Bethel Citizen will be **CLOSED** 

Thursday Nov. 24 & Friday Nov. 25 in Celebration of Thanksgiving.

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### Local forest staffers pitch in with Katrina relief

By PAT NASTA/USFS

Responding to the call for help after Hurricane Katrina, 40 U.S. Forest Service employees with the White Mountain National Forest were dispatched to the devastated areas and evacuee shelters of Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, and Texas.

Several local employees recently returned from their recovery assignments in the South and have stories to

share of their experiences. Jay Milot of Gilead went to San Antonio as crew boss for

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Antonio shelter. Milot took the many varied tasks in stride, saying that

the 20-person crew assigned to

support evacuees in the San

the crew left home with open minds and were willing to do whatever they could to help the evacuees.

In addition to the construction projects necessary for shelter operations, the crew worked closely with FEMA and the Red Cross in registering evacuees, receiving and distributing food, water, and clothing.

**RABIES CLINIC** 

There will be a rabies

clinic on Saturday, December 3, 2005 at the Bethel Fire Station from 2-4pm. The fee for the rabies shot is \$10.

A staff member from the Bethel Town Office will be available to license dogs for Bethel, Albany and Mason residents. Licensing fees are \$10 per dog or \$6 per spayed or neutered dog.

The evacuees were of all ages and had varied needs, with the Forest Service crew lending a hand to help elderly and disabled people navigate through the shelter.

They provided security and were on hand to unload when the Mexican Army appeared with truckloads of blankets and water for their American neighbors in need.

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### BRIDGE PATHWAY ON PRIVATE LAND

To the Editor:

A surveyor once told me that when an existing road was relocated to a different site, the old roadbed reverted ownership back to the original landowner. After all, he had had it taken from him originally. This said, how is it that the new pathway bridge, which everyone is so pleased with, was built on property that did not belong to the state or town? I'm referring to the Murphy land that has been in their family since the early '40s.

At some point in time, Pat Murphy gave the town a right of way to have access to the sewer system that was on this land. No one suggested then that he didn't own the land! No one questioned his ownership when he paid taxes on said property, which was

outlined on the town maps.

Then, along came the snowmobile club, and, lo and behold, they decide that their bridge should cross the river right beside the existing bridge. They found a way to acquire this land by hiring lawyers to find a loophole in the law. They decided that they'd call this property abandoned property which they then had the right to take. And take, they did. There was no mention of compensation to the Murphys. How ridiculous is that? The old road was no more and went nowhere. The property belonged to the Murphys.

The other side of this coin is the human side. What matter does it make that a family lives in that house with the beautiful lawns, and that trees that were planted years ago by the Murphys were to be chopped down? What does it matter that an elderly lady of 101 years has to watch this injustice and feel completely helpless? How about the hard labor and costly renovations that are going on to preserve this fine, old, historic house? There's a sense of futility when you realize your dreams and efforts have been trampled on with no regard to personal feelings or injustices. Do you think now that, maybe, it was a bad investment in time and money and commitment for the family? After all, the beautiful front lawn is no more. Privacy is a word not used to describe this place now. The public has access 24/7 to walk, drive machines, etc., across the driveway and front yard.

I wonder how many citizens of Bethel would like to have this pathway going across their front steps? Do you suppose that there will be an issue of litter? Who is going to control that? Who is going to control the pathway as it crosses the Murphy's driveway? (By the way. Paving their driveway was in their plans a long time ago, and it was done entirely by their funds. They have received nothing in compensation for this property that was taken from them.) The driveway is treacherous enough on its own, and now another threat of danger (especially in the wintertime) had been added. How long before someone gets hurt there? How about the care the public shows to anyone's property? An engineer of the M.D.O.T. was seen relieving himself on the Murphy's lawn — in broad daylight! Is that an indicator of what's to come?

I've been reading about Wal-Mart taking land for new shopping malls, but for this ugly wheel of greed to roll across Bethel is shameful. If it can happen to this family, it can happy to anyone. Beware!

> Davene Mitchell Ocala, Fla.

(Editor's note: MDOT maintains that the land in question belongs to the state. The following is an excerpt from a Dec. 30, 2003 letter to the James and Marjorie Murphy from MDOT Legal Administrator Amy Hughes. That position was reiterated in a May 25, 2004 letter from Commissioner David Cole.

Hughes wrote: "We have researched the question of ownership of the old road and concluded that the State of Maine, through the Department of Transportation ("MaineDOT"), owns the fee interest in the west half of the discontinued road that abuts Route 2. We reached this discontinuance in 1971, and by the actions of your predecessor in title, R. Glenn Murphy, in conveying all of the property on the west side of the county road to Ernest Blake and [Frank Lowell] in 1959.

With regard to your view that ownership of the westerly half of the old county road passed to you (or your predecessor in title) through a transfer by MaineDOT, our search at the Oxford (East) County Registry of Deeds revealed no helpful information. I understand that you may have had a discussion with a representative of MaineDOT in 1995 concerning the status of the old county road but I've not been able to find anyone there who was involved in the Bethel Station transaction which you referred to in your letter, and therefore it may be helpful if you could contact Anthony Ferguson to request copies of documents related to the legal details you indicate were discussed.

"I apologize for the confusion that may have resulted from your previous conversation with a member of this office. Certainly if you have any evidence that would indicate that the ownership of the subject portion of the road is otherwise, we would be happy to consider it, but in light of our review of the facts and relevant history, we continue to maintain that MaineDOT owns that half of the discontinued county road between the east boundary of Route 2 and the centerline of the discontinued road."

### IT'S THE THOUGHT THAT COUNTS

Thank you to Denny Wheeler and crew and Sonny Bean for your help in trying to fly the flag on the common on Veterans' Day. We got done in by "Four Beer Idea Riggin" and gusty winds. It's the thought that counts sometimes.

Thanks again. See you next year.

Dave Freiday Bethel

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### REMEMBERING DAISY LeCLAIR AND WILLARD WIGHT

To the Editor:

The Bethel Historical Society has lost two of its most dedicated and loyal members with the recent deaths of Daisy LeClair and Willard Wight.

Daisy LeClair, always gracious and kind, was one of the most enthusiastic of members, who took great pride in the progress of the society through the years. She was especially helpful when my mother was working on the history of the street where Daisy spent most of her life, Bethel's Philbrook Street. Her memory was keen and she greatly enhanced our knowledge of that section of town. She was also a valued resource for our other research projects from time to time. Her support of the organization both informational and financial was invariably generous and deeply appreciated by all of us at the society.

Bill Wight was with us for so many years as a volunteer, trustee, committee member and great supporter of the society that it is hard to believe he has left us. He and his wife, Sylvia, were two of the most reliable "pillars" of the organization for so very long. They were involved in many of the activities of the society for the past thirty years until ill health began to curtail their participation. Until recent times, there was seldom a society event that they were not present at or/and helping in some way. It was particularly regrettable that Bill was not able to attend the oral history panel discussion in observance of Newry's bicentenary held earlier this month at the Dr. Moses Mason Meeting Room. Bill was a genial, kind, generous, wise and very active man, who was dedicated to his community and region. We will long remember his service to the society and what an inspiration he was to all of us as a role model for the quintessential historical society member.

> Stan Howe Executive Director, Bethel Historical Society

### TIME TO THANK GOD

To the Editor:

It is time for my favorite holiday of the year. Thanksgiving is a time for family and friends to gather around the table for a special meal to give thanks for all the blessings that have enriched their lives. There are no gifts, few decorations and no outrageous costs for this holiday.

The question is: to whom are we giving thanks? Are we to give thanks to Sears? Are we going to give thanks to Wal-Mart? Are we to thank the ACLU for protecting us from ourselves? Or are we to do something absolutely unacceptable today? Give thanks to God for any and all of the blessings that surround each and every one of us just by living in America? I would suggest that it would be God.

We were all taught in school that the pilgrims founded the holiday to give thanks to God for helping them get through the hardships of the new world. I have no reason to doubt that. They left the old world in order to gain religious freedom.

Now, in a country that is about 85 percent Christian, we are forbidden to celebrate any of our holidays with the suggestion that there might be a connection to God. I do not see the ACLU attacking any other religion other than the religion of Christianity. It is true that we are allowed to celebrate privately but there can be no mention of God in the public square.

We are not allowed to show a cross, a manger, or mention God in our writings, in our public buildings or even on our coins. There are people who want God to be taken out of our world completely. That is pretty difficult to understand while living in a country that has overwhelmingly been blessed by God.

The secularists have been successful in removing God from our schools, our public debate and they have also terrified the world of business by making them afraid to even mention the word God or Christmas.

Happy Holidays is what they say now so as not to offend the 15 percent of the country that is not Christian. I have wished my friends and family and just about anybody else I have come in contact with "Merry Christmas" as I have done for 63 years. I have not done it in order to make anyone uncomfortable but rather to wish them joy and peace in the unique international holiday celebrated by millions and millions of people.

It will probably be difficult to do, but it is my intention to do as little shopping in stores that refuse to recognize Christmas. If I find myself in a store that is obviously refusing to recognize Christmas, I will go somewhere else. While watching television last night, I was pleased to see that the True-Value stores are pointedly making it the Christmas season. Amongst my favorite places to shop and buy is Home Depot. They are wishing us to buy their products for the "Holiday Season." Sears, Wal-Mart and so many others are doing the same thing.

I know that there will come a time when I have to shop at all of these stores but I will do everything I can not to shop them during the Christmas gift-buying season. If Santa, and Christ and all things absolutely Christmas, are unacceptable to them, they are unacceptable to me.

I am not a Christian that spends his day on bended knee pounding my breast in never-ending mea culpa after mea culpa. I am an American who thanks God for the most noble experiment in

the history of mankind, the United States of America. To all who read this and to all I may come in contact with, I wish you all a merry happy Chanukah and a blessed holiday season no matter what your belief might be.

Harry Faulkner

### PLEASE RETURN THE TORO

To the Editor:

Living in a small Maine town it is easy to take for granted the sense of security and community fellowship. Neighbors help each other, and often tools and other items are borrowed from each other, sometimes without explicit permission.

We have a small house in the Nordic Knoll development across from the "Letter S" swimming hole beyond the Sunday River covered bridge.

Recently someone "borrowed" our Toro lawnmower from beneath our screened-in porch, and I am hoping it will be returned. No questions will be asked. After all, isn't that what community is all about?

> H.P. Krahn Freeport and Newry

### Ridgelines

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a little bit shorter than the 166-page zoning manual for Stowe.

"It's one page," said Sparks. "Most towns are at least 15." The ordinance is also out of date, having last been revised

nearly 20 years ago. "It hasn't been looked at in a long time," said Selectman Wayne Hakala.

Town residents' desire for some form of control over ridgeline development was apparent in a survey conducted in preparation for the town's new Comprehensive Plan, which was approved by voters

"People want to preserve the

views we have. They like the town the way it looks," said Alan Hamilton, co-chair of the

implementation committee. And the appearance of large houses on nearby slopes in Bethel and Woodstock led to many Greenwood residents calling for some form of control.

"They really got people riled up," said Code Enforcement Officer John Gauthier.

No one on the committee appears to expect the process of developing those regulations to be easy, especially when it comes to balancing property rights against community aesthetics.

People who can afford to build on ridgelines "deserve the view and should have the view," Hamilton said, "but you also don't have to spoil the view."

The next step for the committee will be to meet again in early December, and attempt to come up with a list of questions for a second survey, this one intended to ascertain the views of residents on the specific issue of ridgeline development.

If a proposed ordinance can be completed, it is expected to be presented to voters at Town Meeting in March.

### Views

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el's assessing agent. "Market value is the key factor in assessing property of all types." Donna Hays, who assesses properties in Newry, agrees.

"I don't put a view factor on properties, I assess for location and neighborhood. View factors are hard to keep on top of - some properties have views only in the fall and winter, depending on their loca-

"I use the sales to arrive at the assessed values. For instance, if you look at Powder

Ridge [a Newry development] you can see that the sales increase as you go up, and if you were to plot these sales on the tax map it becomes evident that location is a factor in the sales price.

"If you use the sales to arrive at your values you have something concrete to show how your assessments reflect both location and neighborhood."

John O"Donnell of O'Donnell Associates is the assessing agent for Woodstock and Greenwood.

O'Donnell said he considers the view as one of many factors in his assessments. "It's a qualitative factor," he said. The factors affecting proper-

ty values are all interconnected, he said. "We have an obligation to

consider all factors that may affect the values, positive or negative."

Assessors and appraisers, he said, don't get to pick and choose which factors they want to consider.

Letters to the editor: When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship). The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit. Send your letters to: Editor, Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, ME 04217-0109. Fax: 824-2426. E-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com.

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson 10 years ago: The Telstar National Honor Society hosted its 13th annual Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner.

A fire, that investigators said was an act of arson, gutted Newry's 150-year-old land mark, Poplar Tavern.

Barbara Brown and Ruth! Grover were circulating a petition to keep Bethel's Post Office in the village. Births: Abigayle Leanne

Johnson, Raquel Lindsay Gro?" Deaths: Marsters E. York,

Donald A. Cox, Richard Kent Stanley. 20 years ago: The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

hosted a tour of the area's inns. Nearly 46 percent of the 13" students at Woodstock Elementary School had perfect at-

tendance for the first quarter. of the school year. Eric Wight was at Mills' Mar. ket in Andover to sign copies: of his book "Maine Warden,

Service." Deaths: Ruth C. Connor, Walter Scott, Ethel Bryant.

30 years ago: Sandra J. Kendall was a member of the cheerleading squad at Thom-, as College, Waterville.

Hathaway's Country Store advertised Thanksgiving tur, keys for 59 ¢ a pound with a \$20 . purchase.

Twenty deer and one bear had been tagged at Head's Game Station in West Bethel. Birth: Timothy Michael Dock.

40 years ago: The first meeting of the "Bethel Snow Twisters" snow kart club was held.

at the Legion Hall. The Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce hosted a banquet for Gould Academy's" football and cross-country " teams at the West Parish Con

gregational Church. Season passes at Sunday River Skiway were: family-a: \$140, adult \$60, under 14 \$30. Birth: Debra Elaine Wright.

Death: E. Stanton Horne. " 1 50 years ago: Representatives from various organizations in town met at the town manager's office to form a

Community Health Council. The first and second degrees were given to Nancy Haines, Phyllis Coolidge, Merle Newton, and Peter Haines at the November meeting of Alder River Grange.

The Junior Choir presented a concert at the Methodist Church.

Thomas Marshall Birth: Payn. Death: Frederick Grant New-

60 years ago: Richard Perkins purchased the Harold Chamberlin residence on Philbrook Street.

Eugene Van and family and Pat Grenier and family returned to the Van home on Paradise Street, which was recently damaged by fire.

About 250 people attended the first lecture on the Village Forum at the West Parish Congregational Church.

Death: Mrs. Charles E. Valentine. 70 years ago: A snowfall

of 11 inches was recorded in Bethel the weekend of Nov. Stone was removed from the

wall of the old canal, South Bethel, and placed in the bank of Alder River. Rev. Ralph A. Brandon, Oxford County United Parish, re-

signed to accept a pastorate in -

Ohio. 80 years ago: The Bethel PTA put on a play, "Deacon ! Dubbs." Odeon Hall was filled; The three-act drama was the most successful play ever give

en in Bethel. A.M. ("Mellie") Dunham of Norway received an invita; tion to fiddle for Henry Ford at an old-time dance in Dearls. born, Mich.

100 years ago: Maud Russell was teaching this term in East Bethel.

James and Nina Swan served. a supper at the new Grange... Hall at East Bethel, collecting over \$18. Dancing was enjoyed. by the young people upstairs' in the new hall after the sup! per.

### From the Bethel Police Log:

Sunday, Nov. 20

At 1 p.m. Officer T. J. Reese responded to a village business for a report of two subjects going through a dumpster. He advised the complainant to call if the subjects returned.

At 1:20 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to Chapman Street for a report of a yellow lab dog that had been found. The complainant said he would keep the dog at his house until the owner could be located.

Saturday, Nov. 19

At 1:50 a.m. on Route 2 Officer T.J. Reese arrested Brian J. Goodrich, 34, of Bethel for OUI and violation of conditional release.

At.7:15 p.m. Sgt. S.R. White received a request from a game warden for assistance with some lost hikers. He located the two on the Irish Neighborhood Road and gave them a ride to meet the warden.

Friday, Nov. 18

At 10:20 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor arrested James D. Collins, 46: of Oxford on Route 26 for operating after suspension.

Thursday, Nov. 17

At 11:45 a.m. Officer Phil Taylor informed campground owners on the Androscoggin River of the water level at the Shelburne Dam.

At 10:40 a.m. Officer Phil Taylor responded to a 911 hangup call on Holt Hill Road. On arrival, he was told that a child had been playing with the phone.

Wednesday, Nov. 16

At 6:12 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore responded to a 911 hangup call on the West Bethel Road. The dispatcher had called back without getting an answer. On arrival the officer was told by the family that everything was all right.

At 11:19 p.m. Officer Buddy Richard responded to a 911 hangup call on Mason Street. The resident denied calling 911, but said that a male subject had made some threats to her and another subject. The officer went to another residence to talk to the male subject. An intoxicated female then arrived. Amber Tuck, 27, was arrested for drinking in violation of bail conditions.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists all cases of adults being arrested or issued a criminal summon in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of other police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

### State to buy more Grafton land

GRAFTON TOWNSHIP — Thanks to a \$12 million conservation bond approved by Maine voters early this month, the state Department of Parks and Lands will apply for money to allow it to purchase 3,688 acres in the Mahoosuc Range. The land is located on the shoulders of Old Speck and Sunday River Whitecap. The land abuts Grafton Notch State Park and existing public reserve lands.

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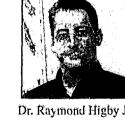
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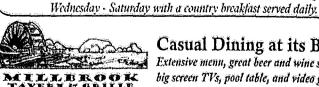
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### Plan

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two congressmen.

I think they've really balanced the whole concept of multi-use," said U.S. Rep. Jeb

Rep. Charles Bass said he was impressed both by the plan and the respect for the process shown even by those who disagreed with the out-

Perhaps the most unhappy with the plan are ATV users. Jim Bird, chairman of a legislative committee studying offroad vehicle use, called the decision to exclude ATVs "The tyranny of the majority." He hopes trails will be allowed to connect existing trails to a newly approved ATV park in Berlin.

"We'd like to think that the door is not closed on having connecting trails," he said. "We're not demanding anything, it just makes sense."

Niebling said the Forest Society supported the decision because of the management challenges ATV pose and the way they change the character of land use.

"It makes sense," he said. "The White Mountains are really known throughout New England as a real refuge from noise, from urban living."

AMC also pleased The Appalachian Mountain Club (AMC) has also applauded the Forest Service for issu-

"The AMC commends the U.S. Forest Service for the extensive work it has put into developing the new management plan for this multiple-use forest, and for actively seeking

public involvement and considering the views expressed by thousands of forest users throughout the planning process," said Susan Arnold, director of conservation for the AMC, the nation's oldest conservation and recreation orga-

nization. "Following an initial review of the plan ... we are pleased to see new Wilderness areas proposed for the national forest. New Wilderness designation for the Wild River Valley and the Sandwich Range will provide outstanding opportunities for backcountry recreation and the chance, over time, to restore unfragmented, mature forest habitat.

'We look forward to working with our Congressional representatives to help pass a New Hampshire Wilderness Bill in the United States Congress," Arnold said. Congressional representatives are expected to propose legislation providing new WMNF Wilderness in the coming months.

"We also commend the Forest Service for maintaining its existing ban on all-terrain vehicles in the White Mountain National Forest in its new forest management plan," Arnold said.

"Given the noise, pollution, and erosion these vehicles cause, and the Forest Service's lack of resources to police their use, ATV use is clearly inappropriate in the national forest.'

The new plan is expected to be filed with the Federal Registry on Friday, Nov. 25. It will

### Relief

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Milot, a fisheries technician and wildland firefighter with the White Mountain National Forest, came home with the conclusion that of all the assignments he's had with the Forest Service, helping the evacuees in San Antonio was the most important because he was able to make a difference and make things better for those who lost everything.

**Lesley Rowse** Lesley Rowse of Albany Township, was dispatched to Hattiesburg, Miss., located about 60 miles north of Gulf-

Rowse was expecting to put her organizational skills to work dealing with tons of supplies in a receiving and distribution center, but quickly was recruited for a very different

She instead found herself assigned to a team charged with operating a camp in support of Humane Society volunteers as well as personnel from the Air National Guard.

The camp was actually set up in a large fairgrounds and housed about 300 people.

Rowse, a wildlife biologist, supported Humane Society volunteers and the rescued animals they cared for.

They had about 1,400 animals come through the shelter in the course of two weeks. "We had every kind of dog you can imagine, as well as hundreds of cats, some horses, goats, pot-bellied pigs, and one baby squirrel," Rowse said.

Her tasks revolved around managing the camp, delivering water and ice to the volunteers, and of course finding some time along the way to offer an ear-scratch and kind words to the disoriented animals.

The animal shelter was staffed with veterinary personnel who checked the animals as they arrived and treated them for a variety of ailments.

Each animal received a computer chip with identifying information and had their photos posted on the Internet to help their families find them.

No pets were adopted out right away — the focus of the mission was to care for the animals, either in a shelter or in foster homes, until their owners could claim them.

"A bell would ring in the shelter every time a pet and its human were reunited," said Rowse.

We had several bells each day, but not enough.'

All of the animals were eventually sent to shelters across the country, and Rowse remained in the South to break down the camp and set up distribution points to store supplies for future needs.

**Randy Harrington** As usual this past summer, Randy Harrington of Bethel made himself available for fire suppression duty if help in the fire-prone western national forests was needed.

But this year, instead of heading west in the familiar role of firefighter, he and his crew were called south to assist Katrina evacuees in San Antonio, Texas.

He went as a squad boss, meaning that whatever tasks his crew was assigned, he

would have the extra responsibility of supervising and maintaining safety for his five crew members.

Squad boss is a position in the "Incident Command System," an organizational structure in which Forest Service emergency response teams op-

It provides a chain of command and clear roles and responsibilities for everyone involved. "It's necessary in a time of crisis to know who is in charge and what is expected of each person," said Harrington, who has fought wildfires with the Forest Service for 11 years.

He also served on the Newry Volunteer Fire Department for 15 years and the Bethel Fire Department for 13 years.

After arrival in San Antonio, Harrington found that his crew's mission was one of "helping people meet their basic needs."

He worked construction in the shelter, ordered and shuttled supplies, provided childcare, helped evacuees understand the FEMA services that were available to them, and did whatever was necessary to keep the shelter running smoothly every day.

The long days were busy and full of small moments that formed lasting memories.

Harrington recalled one mother and her young son in need of clothing during a time when the shelter's clothing supply room was closed.

Having a young son himself at home, Harrington related to the boy's needs and found a way to open the room and get some kid-sized new clothing to

brightened the boy's day. Harrington spent time staffing the daycare center and was happy to be able to interact with the children.

"The kids adapted pretty well, although it was clearly a tough time for them. We were able to provide some fun and attention, and they responded by acting like typical kids." Harrington said.

The daycare provided parents the needed time to deal with the terrible upheaval in their lives, he said, and many of the evacuees he talked to had a positive attitude after such a life-changing experience.

Also memorable was working side-by-side with the Mexican soldiers, just miles from the Alamo, where rebellious Texans were defeated by the Mexican Army in 1836.

This was a historic visit for the Mexican Army, who last operated in the Untied States in 1846 at the start of the Mexican-American War, This time their mission was humanitarian and their convoy carried nurses, doctors, and engi-

Harrington, a lead forest technician with the WMNF, took the different culture in stride, saying his crew of "country boys in the middle of a big city" handled whatever came their way and quickly gained a reputation for getting things done.

They stayed aware of safety issues and dealt with the expected tensions that come with so many people thrown together under devastating circumstances.

The training and experience they came with served them well, with the crew returning home safe and tired but feeling satisfied that they made a difference. "I met a lot of great people and I'd go back in a minute," said Harrington.

WMNF employees trained in wildland firefighting find that their skills are useful in responding to other emergencies as well.

They were dispatched to New York immediately following the 9/11 terrorist attacks, to Texas to help search the remote landscape for pieces of

#### Calls

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and explain that it was an accidental call.

Either way, the dispatcher will talk with you to try to find out what happened (he/ she can call back because the phone number is displayed on the E-911 screen). And even if you insist the call was an error, you will most likely still find the nearest county deputy or town police officer on your

es, there is no way for the dispatcher to know for sure if it was an honest error — or if someone is standing next to you threatening you if you tell what is really going on.

"Hang-up calls may be because another person cut the call short because they don't want police to respond," said Jim Davis, chief deputy for the Oxford County Sheriff's Department.

spond because you can never be sure if an emergency exists or not until you have a face-toface [conversation] with the caller to confirm that an emer-

gency does not exist," he said. Davis said the Oxford County Regional Communications Center receives about 120 911 hangup calls a month.

Of those, about 20 percent are true emergencies.

If the dispatcher does make contact with the caller and is make sure everyone is safe.'

told the call was a mistake, the dispatcher may tell the person to expect a visit from an officer, said Bethel Police Chief Alan Carr. Or sometimes the officer shows up without prior notification.

A common reaction from residents is, said Carr, "'I didn't mean to call you all the way out here for that.' But nine times out of 10, we're going to check it out. We just want to

the way out to your home for nothing, "be more cognizant of the numbers you're pressing on the phone," said Carr. And, he said, make sure

To avoid calling officers all

children understand that 911 should only be dialed in a true emergency.

Note: Three incidents of 911 hangup calls appear in the

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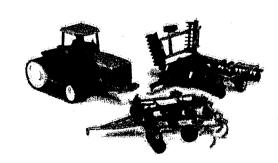
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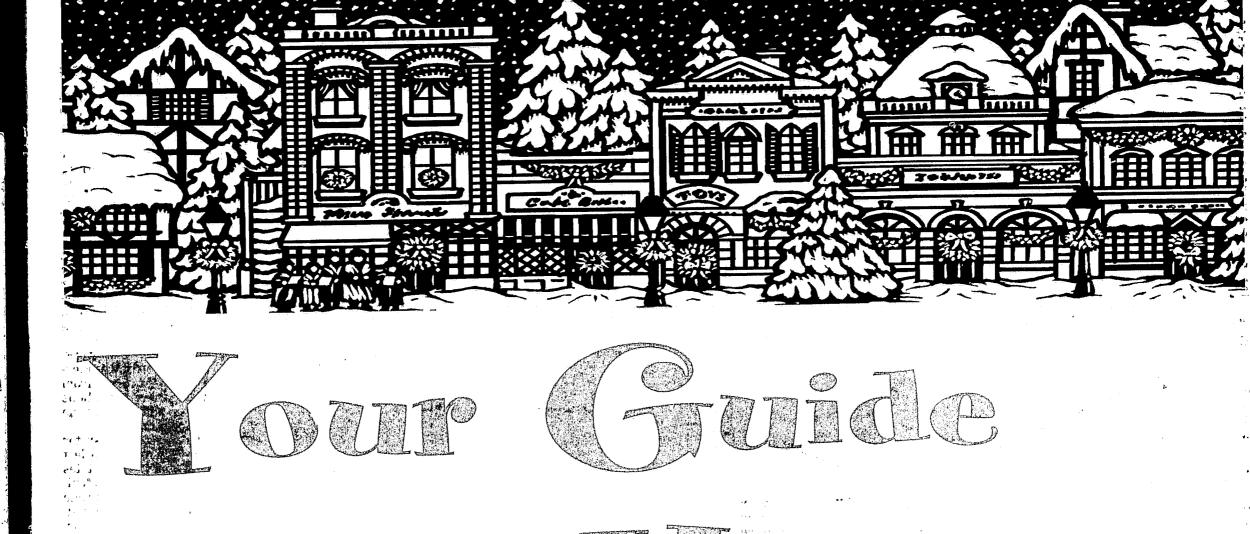
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November 25-December 24

Country Christmas in Bethel Weekends - Thanksgiving to Christmas - Country Christmas in Bethel. Many activities and events including: Taste of Bethel and Theme Wreath Auction (see Saturday, Dec. 3), horse-drawn wagon rides (weekends, specific dates TBD - watch for updates), shopping specials, open houses, The
Living Nativity (Sunday, Dec. 18), Christmas tree lighting, caroling - a country Christmas atmosphere.

November 25

Free Horse-drawn Wagon Rides

Shop at our Local Wares & Craft Fair at the Bethel Inn Conference Center and then treat the family to a wagon ride along the streets of historic Bethel village! 2-4pm. Sponsored by Oxford Networks.

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December 3 & 4

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dayriver.com December 3

Taste of Bethel & Theme Wreath Silent Auction Getting the holiday munchies? Come to the Telstar High School Cafeteria and treat yourself to the annual TASTE OF BETHEL. Feast your eyes and your palate on delicious samples from area restaurants. Main dishes, soups, desserts, beverage and more will satisfy every appetite at this festive social event! Tickets .75 each. While you're there, bid on the many wreaths at the SILENT AUCTION! These wreaths come fully decorated and loaded with toys, gift certificates, and such from the local businesses. Incredible

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assorted buttons

Out two 6 inch circles from muslin. Sew circles together with ♥a ¼ inch seam and leave a 3 inch opening. Clip curves and turn right side out; stuff firmly with fiberfill. Hot glue on top of jar lid. Using the crew sock for the hat, fold up the cuff and hot glue to head. Cut off 4 inches at toe end. Stuff sock lightly next to head. Tie off top 3 inches with jute, cut into half inch strips. Paint a snowman face with acrylic paint, let dry. Fill jar with goodies, then tighten on lid. Tear a strip of homespun or flannel for a scarf; tie around the neck. Trim his hat or scarf with greenery, berries, or buttons.

Cake in a Cup Mix

Great for college students...a sweet treat anytime. Try different combinations to get your favorite flavors

181/2 oz box chocolate cake mix 31/2 oz pkg instant chocolate pudding mix 3 cups powdered sugar, divided 41/2 thsp hot cocoa mix, divided 21/4 tsp vanilla powder, divided

Place dry cake mix and pudding in a large mixing bowl, mix together. Divide and place half cup mix in 8 plastic sandwich bags, secure. Tuck one bag in a large mug that will hold at least 1 to 1 and a half cups of water. Because the cake is microwaved, be sure the cup doesn't have any metal decoration on it. Place 1/3 cup powdered sugar, 1 and a half teaspoons hot cocoa mix and 1/4 teaspoon vanilla powder into plastic sandwich bags, secure with a twist tie and attach to cake bag labeling as glaze mix. Place one bag of cake and glaze mix in each mug and attach the following directions to mix; Generously spray inside of coffee mug with non-stick vegetable spray. Empty contents of cake mix bag into each mug and add one egg white, one tablespoon oil, and one tablespoon water. Mix until well blended. Microwave on high for 2 minutes. While cake is baking, place glaze mix into a small mixing bowl and add 1 and a half teaspoons water, mix well. When cake is done, pour glaze over cake in the cup and enjoy while warm. Makes 8 to 9 cake mixes.

Handprint Wallhanging

After a day of wintery fun, warm the kids up with some creamy cocoa, then make this wallhanging Grandma will treasure!

one yard unbleached muslin wax paper salad plate sponge brush green acrylic paint red acrylic paint

Wash muslin in cold water, dry and iron. Lay on wax paper and place a salad plate in the center. Have kids paint their hands with a sponge brush dipped in acrylic paint. Each child places their handprint on the muslin around the outside of the salad plate, forming a wreath. Red berries may be added with fingertips dipped in paint on his or her own handprints. Two red handprints with thumbs down and together, may be added for a bow or a fabric bow may be used. A holiday greeting can be sponge-painted across the top or have the kids write it in with paint pens, as well as their names and the date.

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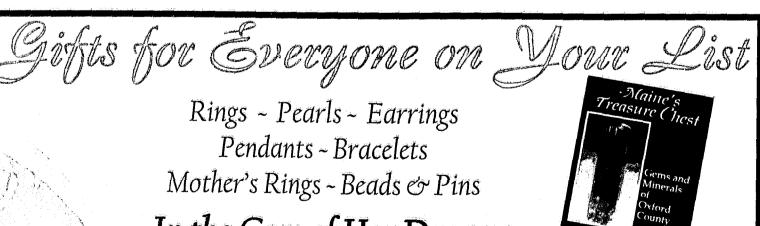
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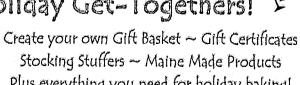






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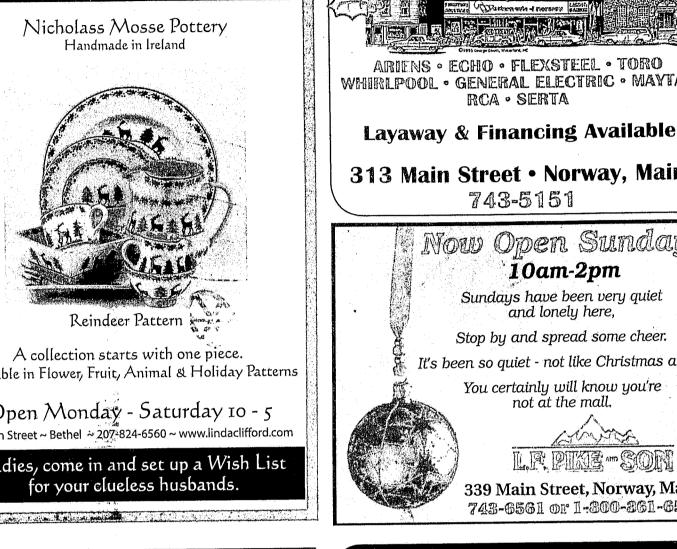
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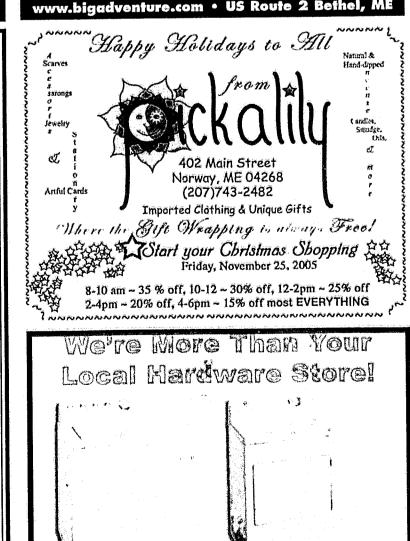


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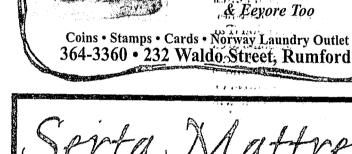
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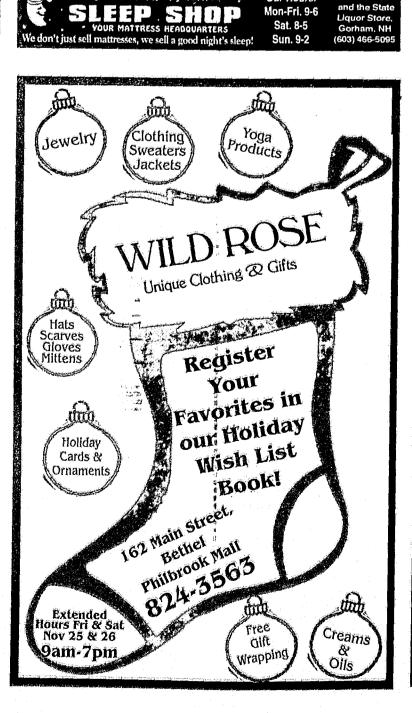
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Virginia Keniston

Martha and Glenn Bangs of Dresden spent the

weekend with Bob and Ginny Keniston.

Gayland Dooen is at homefrom Stephens Memorial Hospital after spending a week as a surgical patient.

The Red Hat Ladies of Bethel met at the Trolley House in Norway for lunch on Friday. The next meeting will be Dec. 1 for a Breakfast buffet at the

Mayville news By Donald Bennett

News Flashback: On Dec. 31. 1888, the Androscoggin River covered bridge connecting Mayville with Bethel Hill ceased being a toll bridge. In the Jan. 8, 1889 edition of The Oxford County Democrat, Bethel's correspondent wrote: "The first day of January the outside world rejoiced in the privilege of coming to Bethel Hill without being compelled to pay tribute."

Our temperature Saturday morning, Nov. 19, 2005, was 16 degrees; the first time it has dipped into the teens at our house and in time to make Thanksgiving Week temperatures match the seasonal range.

A Walk on the Bridge: Mayville is flooded with e-mailed

Last winter in Florida to celebrate turning 70, I started walking about three miles a day, biked too, but walking is steady exercise in contrast to biking's pump and coast. When I set out to use the new bridge for walking to Rite Aid, I ran into an obstacle. So I emailed Stan Howe as head selectman with my complaint. Although I intended to provoke comment, the collection of information returned was indeed very helpful.

The kickoff: my e-mail to Stan Howe: Subject: A walk on the million dollar bridge:

"Hi Stan, Does the town government realize that there is no reasonably apparent walking — pedestrian access to the new bridge from my side of the river? How come? Shouldn't Mayville residents and visitors have the same access as

I try to get in a long walk daily either to Riverside Picnic Area or in the other direction to Rite Aid. Walking from my house to town facing the traffic the new bridge is not accessible unless you walk over newly seeded ground, which has all the signs of a no trespassing area on the Bethel Outdoor Adventure side of the road. Since I am a bridge skeptic to begin with, I think the least that could be done is to extend a walking path from the bridge to Route 2 on the Mayville side. Biking accessegress runs into the same conditions as the walker. .... If a walker crosses Route 2, walks along the North Road to the BIG parking lot, through the parking lot and then through the field, then and only then, a walking person can walk along the snowmobile road under the bridge. For the \$1.5 million spent on this engineering marvel, taking the BIG parking lot route seems awkward. Besides I doubt if the wheelchair people could do it. Don"

Stan replied overnight: "You have put your finger on the next step for the bridge. It gets you across, now where does it go? The trails group led by Kirk Siegel and others would have a better handle than I do as to the progress of where it goes beyond here. Maybe a call to Kirk would give you some idea how things are developing. I know lots of options were being discussed, but have not heard anything recently.

Kirk Siegel's reply came very soon later: "Don Bennett and others in this conversation: The only thing I would add is that our trails committee is happy to receive the sort of input that you've just given. After a broadly distributed community survey over a year ago, a trail forum at Telstar in January of 2005 attended by 75 citizens, and lots of letters to the editor requesting input, we still receive new input on a weekly basis. That's great and this topic is a super example. I am copying John Cheney on this, because John and I crossed paths at a Chamber function last week and had a great discussion on the concept of integrating Mayville into the Bethel village by extending paths in your (northwards) direction. I'm also copying Steve Wight, Newry selectman, trail commit-

president, because a Mayville trail could certainly be part of connection from Bethel to Newry. There are lots of possibilities, whether involving the Route 2 right of way or land of willing landowners. Based on your keen interest, Don, can I assume that you would be interested in working with a group of Mayville folk to explore some of these possibilities? As Jeff notes, our committee has spent hundreds of hours just securing 2,000 feet of access from the end of the new bridge to the North Road. This involved only four landowners, all of whom were supportive, level terrain, and generally ideal conditions. So you can imagine the amount of effort that will be involved.

"As you point out, our effort is reactionary in one sensewe're responding in some part to the fact that this bridge is now here. The bridge was built in large part due to the successful lobbying of the snowmobile community, who have an economic interest and just as important didn't want to see a tragic snowmobile fatality on the old bridge. Those are worthy goals — we're trying to achieve even broader goals. Thanks for your thoughts, and look forward to hearing more from you and the rest of Mayville!"

At about the same time that Kirk's e-mail came in so did the first one of two from Jeff Parsons:

(To save space I have edited Jeff Parson's e-mails into one listing points that Jeff enumerated.)

'... (1) There is at this very moment no continuation of the bridge northwards in any direction. We (the Trails Committee) have in fact obtained permission from landowners in a westwards direction (Parsons, DOT, BIG, Masons) to extend the Pathway west. Back under itself, under Route 2, then out to the North Road via above landowners. That will, de facto, double the length of the pathway.

(2) Moreover, we have just this week finished putting together the grant application for RTP funding to complete that part (westward) of the trail, including paving. We are confident that by next year, that path will exist. It is an exciting next phase.

(3) We (Jeff and Pattie) ould welcome that (Maythe south of the river people? tee member, and Land Trust ville Road) continuation. It



FAIR PREPARATIONS—The annual Christmas Fair and Tea will take place at the West Parish Congregational Church in Bethel Dec. 3 from 1 to 4 p.m. Among the items featured are Christmas crafts, greens, handmade knitted items and crafts. Here, (from left) Priscella Walker, Peggy Wight, Carol Hatch, Lida lles and Ruth Silver work on crafts in preparation. Forty percent of the funds raised at the event support the SMILE Fund, which provides financial help for people in need of extensive dental work who cannot afford it. (Photo: A, Aloisio)

would need to go from the present end of the path, directly up to our entranceway. At the moment, it looks dicey: it is steep, and crosses newly seeded ground. That is the result of the way the contractors left the project. We have, however, put stakes in the ground trying to indicate that people are welcome to walk across our entrance and down to the path. To make that into a real trail would take a few loads of gravel, a little grading work, and not much else. We would welcome that work. There is, by the way, still time before ground freezing to get it done. Next moves??" (Then Parsons mentioned again progress on extending the under bridge

trail.) (4) The Trails Committee has not spent any time designing or planning that (step linking commercial and residential properties that lie along Mayville Road). Perhaps now is the time. (And, as Kirk Siegel notes above, he has talked with Norseman Inn and motel owner John Cheney whose interest in bridge paths and connections is apparent since they would add value to his lodging and rental properties on Mayville Road as well as those of his neighbor's.) If I do nothing Dec. 9th."

Town Manager Scott Cole also responded with specific answers and comments that seem to round out the bridge

situation as of mid-November: "Don Bennett's point raised in an earlier e-mail is valid. The town government has been aware of the 'missing link' since spring when it became clear that the MDOT project would not be sufficiently funded to directly connect Route 2 with the bridge. A decision was made at this office to locally fund the connection to BIG Adventure and leave discussion of a highway connection to a later date.

"There are several reasons for the decision. The under-bridge connection was straightforward. However, connecting Route 2 is more complicated than dumping a few loads of gravel. How to handle the highway guardrail, the campground's curb cut, drainage concerns, compliance w/ both access standards and highway standards, possible lack of right of way, and a potential sewer extension toward Mayville-Riverview-Sunday River are all factors that need to be considered prior to a commitment of funds. And then the money question

state? local? private? combination?

"Elimination of the 'missing link' is on the list for discussion in next year's town and sewer budgets. However, it's too early to say whether or not the work can even be done in 2006. Ideally the work will be done in 2006 but even now, it is not certain. Thanks for the opportunity to comment. Scott Cole, Bethel Town Manager"

Those interested in attending the December meeting of the trails committee should call Jeff Parsons (824-4224 at Bethel Outdoor Adventure) to make sure of date, time and place of the meeting. The outcome of these discussions bodes well for the business and residence owners living within range of the bridge. For instance the walking distance from the Mayville end of the bridge to Timberlake's Home Store showroom is less than 600 yards. It is only onehalf mile, 880 yards, to The Quilt Shop. Since receiving Jeff's reassurance that walkers can follow his stakes from bridge to roadway (and not be arrested), I have walked that route a number of times. It is a very pleasant improvement over walking across the river on the highway bridge.

### The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard Sharon Bouchard's column is published

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It's that time of the year again when we feast upon the turkey and all the fixings of a traditional Thanksgiving Day dinner. It's that time of the year when, as the holiday suggests, we should pause and do a mental inventory of what we have to be thankful for.

It always amazes me when I reflect over the past year, a year in which I spent a lot of time groaning and moaning over everything that didn't go my way, just how much I do have to be thankful for. There are, of course, the obvious, family, friends, health. a roof over my head and all that good stuff. But when I really stop to think about it, there is so much more.

For example, I'm thankful that I'm not Julia Roberts. It may seem that she has a charmed life, but I'm not so sure that is the case. Sure, she's beautiful and rich, but the poor girl can't go to dinner or shopping or even to the gym without someone spying on her and trying to take her picture in the most unflattering positions.

Can you imagine what it's like to be working out, huffing and puffing with sweat dripping off the end of your nose and have some schmuck with a camera take your picture – a picture that will end up on the front page of all the gossip magazines?

I'm really thankful that I'm not a politician and have to vote on the budget. That is a no-win situation. Everything is such a mess and there are programs that are important that will be cut and make a lot of people angry. There are other programs that probably shouldn't even be part of the budget that won't get cut and that will make a lot of other people angry.

No matter what my opinion, no one will try to wine and dine me or try buy my vote on this issue. This is the part of the system I don't like. Some politicians will

even hold their vote hostage, demanding special interest favors to be heaped upon them no matter how they really feel about any of the budget items. Something is very wrong with this system and I am truly thankful that I'm not part of it.

... we should pause and do a mental inventory of what we have to be thankful for.

I'm thankful that I'm not the president of the United States. I don't understand why people go to such great lengths to get this job. It's a real no-winner. No matter how good you are at it, your ability is always subjected to someone else's opinion. You're darned if you do and you're darned if you don't on just about every issue.

The hours aren't very good either. The president doesn't exactly have a 9-to-5. Monday through Friday kind of job. He's always on call no mater what. I can just see myself getting up a 2 a.m. to answer the red hotline and make a decision that will affect the whole world without even getting a cup of coffee into me.

It's a job that doesn't allow for a lot of mistakes either. If I screw up on my job there's little harm done and I can always blame it on the computer. But let the president screw up and the next thing you know the country's in a confrontation

with a hostile nation or the economy goes to hell in and hand basket. No thanks!

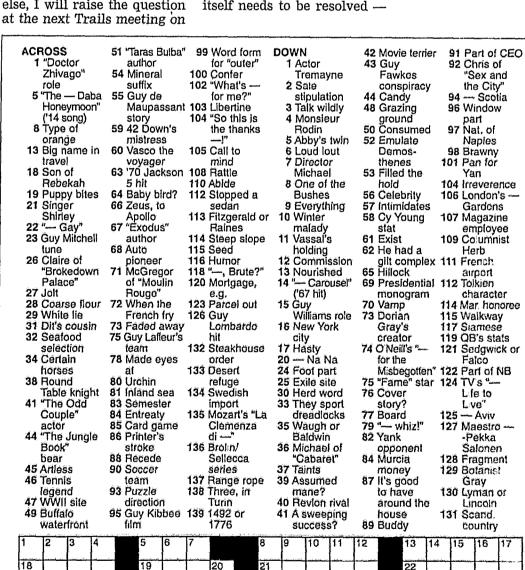
I'm thankful for the existence of modern appliances. I will never be considered a domestic Goddess - I don't like housework and I'm not very good at it. If I didn't have some of the appliances that I have I'd never get anything done around the house. When I think about our foremothers scrubbing their laundry against the rocks down at the creek, I become very thankful that that was then and this is now.

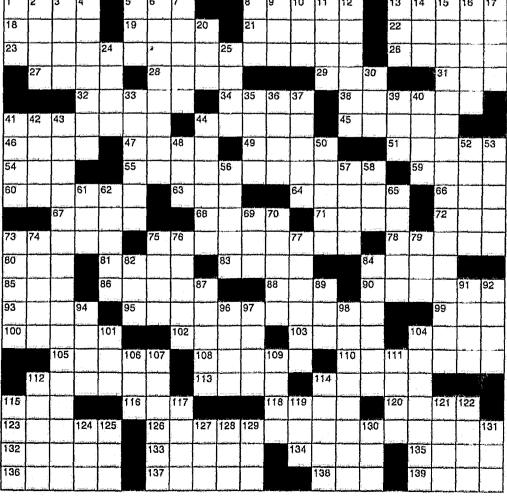
I can only imagine what it was like for my great-greatgrandmother to prepare the Thanksgiving feast. No gas or electric stove, no microwave oven, no electric mixer or food processor, no electric anything. Not to mention that great-great-granny didn't have access to such conveniences as canned goods (unless she canned them herself), no packaged mixes. no aluminum foil or even Tupperware. And she probably thought she had a lot to be thankful for.

There are so many other things I'm thankful for, like living in a safe environment, constitutional rights and a good job. These are things that are easy to take for granted unless you don't have them.

So, when you sit down to your Thanksgiving dinner and survey the foodscape that is placed before you, pause before you dig in and give thanks. If you don't think you can be thankful for what you have or who you are, the way I see it, you can at least be thankful for who you're not.

Wishing all of you a very Happy Thanksgiving.





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### West Bethel



Lorrie Hoeh Last Tuesday and Wednesday we accumulated 2.4 inches of

rain. Word is that before this is printed, we will have had another two to four inches. It would be so much better for the local economy (and for snow lovers) if it stayed cold and came down as solid white stuff. But we've had a good taste of winter temperatures, with our thermometer registering as low as 19 degrees this past week.

The Country Store reports that the deer count is up to 28. It must have been a good week to add 17 from the week before! There will be a real push this week to bag that stag before closing day on Saturday.

Twenty Red Hat ladies met on Nov. 18 at the Trolley House in Norway for a delightful lunch. We had our own dining room, looking out on Main Street, and each place was set with a small dish of red and purple jellybeans. I sat at a table with June Abbott, Ginny Gamble, Carol Hatch, Lucia Schwarz, and Jan Stowell. Before we left, everyone sang Happy Birthday to Ginny Keniston, whose big day was coming up early this week.

Jane Hosterman attended the Senior Citizens, Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday. The National Honor Society hosts this event every year, and, as always, they did an excellent job. Jane spoke of their genuine hospitality and thoughtfulness. She said that the young people were as kind and sweet as could be. Close to thirty tables of seniors were welcomed

by the NHS president, and several attendees won door prizes which had been provided by community businesses and individuals.

We drove over to Rumford on Sunday afternoon to attend a concert by the Franklin County Fiddlers at the beautiful old Rumford Town Hall. This event was sponsored by the Western Maine Senior College as a fundraiser for Hurricane Katrina victims and a friend-raiser for the Senior College. The group comprises Mount Blue High School students who are involved in the music program there. We were especially interested in being there since our granddaughter, Elisabeth Stancioff, a sophomore at Mount Blue, plays the viola in the group. It was toe-tapping, hand-clapping music, with some mellow waltzes thrown in, as well as a couple of impressive solos by some very accomplished young people. A special treat was a clogging performance by an alumna of the Fiddlers and Mount Blue, who just happened to be home for the holi-

Some of my pies are baked, "to bring" assignments have been handed out, and the linen tablecloth and napkins have been ironed. Now there's just the last-minute shopping and cleaning to do, and a few more make-ahead foods, Thursday the multitudes will assemble for my favorite holiday of the year. We'll be giving thanks for our good fortune in living in beautiful western Maine, for our loving family and friends, for good health, good food, and a comfortable home. And we'll be praying for peace, tolerance, and understanding, both at home and throughout the world. Happy Thanksgiving, everyone!

### Gilead



Lin Chapman It is hard to believe that Thanksgiving has arrived already. Every-

one I have spoken with is making preparations for the big day. Whether you have dinner at home or go out to eat with friends or family, Thanksgiving is a time to think of all the things we have to be thankful for. Sometimes our daily lives can be so hectic that we forget to stop and give thanks for all the great things we have. All you have to do is look around vou and there is always someone who is having problems that are bigger than your

We spoke to our son, Chris, and he is making plans to have Thanksgiving Dinner with his girlfriend, Kym. We miss him the most around the holidays. but glad he is doing well in New Mexico. We have plans to get together for Thanksgiving with our other son, Tim, and his family.

My brother, Steve McLain, stopped at the house to visit. While he was there his son, Brad, appeared looking for him. It was nice to visit with Brad since we hadn't seen him for a while. They were making plans for Thanksgiving Din-

The West Bethel Children's Center recently had. Grandparents Day. I spent the morning with my grandson, William Chapman, and had a great time. After breakfast and some inside playtime, everyone went outside to play. It was quite an experience to watch about fifteen small children playing in the snow. Congratulations to the staff for keeping everything in order and all of the little ones hap-



WORLD TRAVELING TRUCK ARRIVES IN NEWRY—The Newry Fire Department's new ladder truck arrived at its new home at the Sunday River Fire Station Sunday. The truck's construction started in Wyoming, moved to Minnesota, went on to Germany to have the ladder installed and then returned to Minnesota for the final completion. The ladder can go from a nested position on the truck to fully extended in one minute. At the 2004 Newry Town Meeting, the town approved \$670,000 to purchase the truck. Newry used \$120,000 from a capital reserve account and financed the remain. ing \$550,000 over 10 years with the Maine Municipal Bond Bank. The truck has the ability to serve as a pumper, an aerial or both. (Photo: A. Aloisia)

py most of the time. They did a great job.

This past weekend there was a group of game wardens on Route 2 near the old school house. They were stopping vehicles heading toward New Hampshire. They were looking for hunters that were transporting deer across the state line. There were several more wardens in the parking lot by the school that were checking inside the trucks of

the lucky hunters. Speaking of lucky hunters. Chris Hooper of Gilead shot his first deer, a seven-point buck, this past Saturday. He was hunting with a couple of friends on the North Road.

Dog Licenses: This is just a reminder to all dog owners in Gilead. Dog licenses are due in January, but are available at the office of the clerk now. Notices will be sent out in December. Please call and make an appointment. Also, there is a rabies clinic in Bethel on Saturday, Dec. 3, at the Bethel

Fire Station from 2-4 p.m. The fee for the shot is \$10.

**Planning Board** The Planning Board meeting scheduled for Dec. 1 has been cancelled. Individuals requiring support from the Board should contact Jack Pucak at 836-2729 to make other arrangements.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.



by Melinda

Andover's oldest citizen, Edna White, who has been hospitalized

several weeks in Rumford, returned to her home on Nov.

The former Helen Glover has her house on Farmers Hill for sale and has moved to Brown-

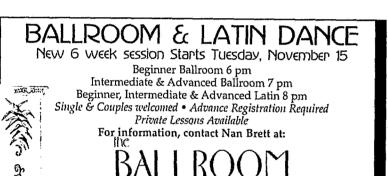
All 13 members of the East Andover Community Club met with Margery Towne .... on Nov. 14, A short business meeting was conducted and ... reports read. Many cards had been sent to East Andover residents. Some mystery sisters were remembered. Plans were made for a Christmas luncheon on Dec. 12 at the home of President Barbara Meisner. At this meeting mystery sisters will be revealed and new names drawn for 2006. A hostess list will be compiled.

A very successful food auction was held. Every year a sum of money has been given to two local Sunday schools to be used to purchase Bibles.

A dessert was enjoyed at the Towne Home, known as the

Richard Sullivan visited his daughter, Ellen Jones, and his three grandchildren in Norfolk, Va., recently.

Get well wishes to Joel Putnum, who underwent heart surgery at the Medical Center



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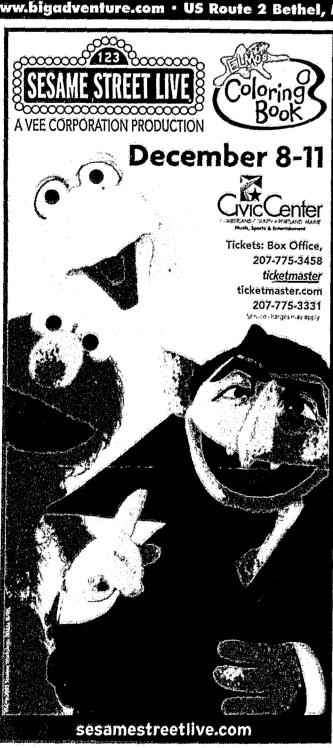




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in Bangor. He returned home Nov. 17.

Two flocks of wild turkeys, about 15, come every day into East Andover. There are many

other flocks in town. Andrea Bretz Savitz, president of Andover Service Circle (ASC), was delighted to tell me of some new activities in the lives of a couple of the Circle's members. In addition to Evelyn Bodemer's fine charity work done for the support of research and resources for persons with cancer and persons with Alzheimer's disease, she has somehow found the time and fortitude to become a hospice volunteer for Androscoggin Home Health and Hospice Care. As such, Evelyn has received training and now visits a dying individual to render comfort through her presence. Further, member Jeanne Rosato, a Reiki master and registered'professional nurse with a strong background in the treatment of persons with cancers, has become the first ever cancer care support nurse at Franklin Memorial Hospital.

Andrea also reminds us all of ASC's annual Holiday Dinner to be held on Monday, Dec. 5, in the Andover Town Hall. A social hour will start at 3:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 4:30 p.m. topped off with dessert. As in past years, this event is a gift to the community from ASC, and is open to all Andover residents who are disabled or are over 65 years of age. Each person attending is encouraged to bring a guest.

Lastly, if you are aware of anyone who should have received an invitation to the annual Holiday Dinner, but did not, please telephone chairperson Pat Meek at 392-2281. Pat hopes for a complete count of expected attendees during the coming week.

Have a Happy Thanksgiving. Enjoy the long weekend.



Sylvia Harrington

On Nov. 10, Mel Cummings and Don Twitch-

ell had company from Groton, Conn. Mel's daughter, Emily, along with her husband, Phillip Barbeau, and children, Hayley and Phillip, were here till Sunday. Phillip enjoys duck hunting and drove over to Madison to hunt with his dad, Mick. They hunted both early and again late in the day. Phillip got the only duck and left it for his dad to enjoy. Mel relayed that her brother, George F. Learned, Jr., who has been in ill health for many years, is recuperating at home in New Britain, Conn. He just spent four months in two hospitals, and is doing better.

The hunters haven't had the best of weather for getting out into the area woods. Upon checking with Bear River Trading Post I was told they had tagged 64 deer as of Saturday evening, the 19th. Leon Dunn got an eight-point buck on Thursday weighing in at 178 pounds. At this time John Connell has tagged the largest deer, a 12-point buck weighing in at 215 pounds.

Bear River Trading Post would like patrons to know they will be closed on Thanksgiving Day, except for the tagging of deer. Debbie and Doug would also like their customers to know that on the weekends they will now be serving chili. The two weeks following the regular hunting season is black powder hunting time.

WVSC is still going out at least one day of each weekend to clear trails. Anyone who would like to join them may call Leon at 824-3335 or Ed at 824-3589,

We were saddened to learn that Bill Wight passed away

on Thursday, Nov. 17. Funeral services were held at the Greenleaf Funeral Home in Bethel on Monday, Nov. 21. Family and friends met at Bear River Grange Hall after the services. Our sympathies are extended to Sylvia and Bill's family, Bill's presence will be sadly missed in the community.

Hanover



Worcester It is time once again to license the favorite family

member. Dog

by Clem

When you go to the Town Office for the dog license, be sure to bring an up-to-date Rabies Certificate. Several local residents took their animals to a rabies clinic at the Andover Fire Station last Saturday. There is another clinic scheduled at the Bethel Fire Station on Dec. 3, between 2 and 4 p.m. Otherwise contact your veterinarian for an appointment. Also, if your dog has been spayed or neutered the veterinarian certificate is required to get the \$6 rate. Dogs that are not spayed or neutered are \$10. Late fees apply after Jan.

licenses are due by Dec. 31.

The Hanover Town Office will be closed all day Thanksgiving Day and the Friday following. We hope everyone has an enjoyable holiday week-

The art display of Bob Lovejoy paintings at the Hanover Town Office has ended. Everyone who saw the display was very enthusiastic. We wish to express our appreciation to Judy Ray for allowing the sentimental display and her contributions of paintings to it.

The best deer shot by a local resident so far was the

OFFICIAL AUXILIARY MEMBERS—Nine women were formally initiated recently as members of Jackson-Silver American Legion Post 68 Auxiliary in Locke Mills. Pictured are, front, (from left): Liz Whitman, Barbara Wakefield, Irene Redman, Angela Haines. Back: Helvi Cary, Rowena Dunham, Maryanne Fifield, Kelly Bickford, Pam Rugg. The auxiliary is currently offering Christmas bulbs for sale at \$2 each to place on the post's Christmas tree in memory or honor of any friends

one Andy Barlow got on Nov. 8. It was a 12-point buck that weighed 212 pounds. A picture of Andy and his deer was in last week's Bethel Citizen.

Heavy rains last week took off most of the snow that remained from the week before. Streams and the river rose to higher-than-normal levels. Last Saturday the early morning temperature was 10 degrees. We do not recommend swimming at Howard Pond because the float has been pulled to shore for the winter.



Nancy Mercer Millie Jackson had an early Thanksgiving dinner with

Lorie Olson in South Paris on Nov. 20. Chris and Cyndy Olson and family were there. Altogether there were 19 people that had dinner with Lorie and her family.

Jack and Tricia Chappie have a new snow machine for winter play time.

Peter Bean and Gina Dow visited Mary Bean with Mary's great-granddaughter, Emilea Bean-Wodka, on Nov. 20.

Mary Bean and Arthur Hertell attended the senior citizen dinner at Telstar High School on Nov. 20. This dinner was hosted by the National Honor Society students.

Margarite Johnson of North Carolina is visiting Nancy Kimball.

Dot Bartlett returned Nov. 19 from a visit to London, England, and Stockholm, Sweden. I hope everyone has a good Thanksgiving. God Bless the

Troops.

il War met at Alice Hoyt's on Monday, Nov. 14, for a regular meeting. Eight members were present. The charter was draped in memory of Beatrice Farnum. It was voted to have a Christmas exchange of gifts and a tasting party at our Dec. 12 meeting. Flags and markers were discussed. It would be a help if people who have lost loved ones that were in the service and are buried in Woodstock-Bryant Pond cemeteries would let the Daughters know so we can be sure

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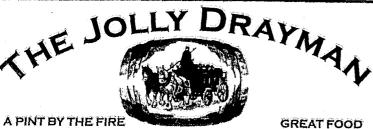
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Thirty-four calls were reported. Mystery package went to Alice Hoyt. Money was sent to Togus for Christmas. Items were brought in for the gift Shop at Togus.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 4:30 p.m., evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 is prayer meeting and Thursday morning at 9 is ladies prayer time. Nov. 23 at 6:30 p.m. is Thanksgiving Eve Service. Dec. 3 at 5 p.m. is a Soup and Sandwich Supper and decorating the church for Christmas.

Sympathy is extended to the families of Otis Evans and Robert Mills; they both grew up in town.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will hold their December meeting at the Legion Hall on Dec. 1. If you want to exchange gifts bring a lady's for a lady and a man's for a man. Also, if you wish, bring a gift for Christmas for Kids or the Food Pantry. Cards will be exchanged. Dinner by the auxiliary and program is slides by Edwin Howe on their trip to Alaska.

Sympathy to Robert Day and Leroy Day and families on the death of their sister.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Kathleen McAllis-

On Wednesday, the Woodstock Extension met at the Town Annex for a bag lunch and program on card embroidery. Six members were present. Next meeting will be at Alice Hoyt's for the Christmas Party.

At the Historical Society meeting in November, Paul and Vicki Billings reported on the Lipizzaner Stallions they saw at the Cumberland Civic Center. The horses were rescued from Hitler by Gen.

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George Patton. The society also decided to print a book on "Culture" by Curator Larry Billings at Grass Roots. It covers literature, art music, history, antiques, and religion. Jane Mills gave some old town reports to the society.

The December meeting will be at the Town Annex with a potluck supper at 6 p.m. and exchange of gifts and cards.

Curator Larry Billings is delighted his book on "Culture" is going to be printed. He has promoted "Culture" in the area for years. Ernestine Riley gave the society a theatrical program for the old Opera House. Alice Hoyt gave some old scrapbooks and photos. Much thanks.



Joyce Lamb Winter with its cold and freezing weather is

plants on the sun porch are now inside. The begonias have been cut off and put in the cellar. The geraniums are still full of large blossoms so can live a little longer in the laundry room. I will cut them off a few at a time and take them to church on Sundays, for one of my jobs is to furnish fresh flowers each week. Hopefully all of the plants will survive the winter and bloom again next summer.

On Sunday, Nov. 27, Jennifer Wixon will be the guest speaker at the West Paris Universalist Church at 9 a.m. Jim Burke is the organist. A coffee hour follows.

There was a good attendance at the West Paris's 99th Chicken Pie Supper. Cooper Farms furnished the 50 pounds of potatoes and Don Demerest grew all the squash. Many fur-

#### Public Hearing **TOWN OF NEWRY**

The Newry Planning Board will meet at the Newry Town Office on December 7, 2005 at 6:30pm for the purpose of holding a public hearng on the Tempest Town house Project, which will consist of 9 new Townhouses (36 Units) located at Sunday River Skiway.

LOOKING FOR A FRIEND A children's book entitled "The Cat with the Question Mark Tail," by Greenwood resident D.C. Scherer, is now available at Books 'N Things in Bethel and other locations in the area. The book is based on Scherer's real life cat, Tigger, who lives with Scherer and her husband, Fred, on Twitchell Pond. Tigger is an indoor cat, Scherer said, and in the book she wants to go outside to make friends with the creatures she watches through the window. She is eventually able to escape, and tries to find an animal family with which she can live. But there is no room for the feline. What the cat learns in the end, said Scherer, "is that you can always go home." The water color illustrations, including the one shown here, are by J. Kintz, also of Greenwood. The book is Scherer's first, but she has two others in the works. She is also available to do book readings at elementary schools and libraries.

nished pies and helped prepare and serve the meal.

Beverly and Vince Stevens and Georgina Thayer entertained a large family gathering on Sunday to celebrate Thanksgiving, with 18 present. Those present were Lee Dean, Muriel and Steve, Lesa and Chris Bunker, Anne Goulding, Stacy Dean, Steve Chapman, Roger and Beverly Thayer, Bruce and Flora Thayer, Florence Lawrence, and great-grandson, Dustin.

Cynthia and Sayward Lamb are with son Jim'and Chris Lamb in Oxford until they leave for Florida. Sayward is slowly improving but does not agree to being inactive.

The black and white large cat is still around. He looks healthy and well fed so he must belong to someone. Buffy does not like him but so far has not attacked. He must realize that he is too old to fight.

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setts last weekend to visit Pat

and Earl's son, Vic, and fami-

ly. Vic has a new son, Owen.

Sarah drove. They had a great

Zack has mastered his white,

green, orange and recently

his purple Karate belt. He re-

ceived lessons in Lewiston.

Zack is the son of Sarah and

Phil Lynch and is in the first

grade at Sabattus Grammar

Making honors at TMS is

Jonah Thurlow. Making high

honors is Ciara Nadeau. At

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Patrice Dunn has returned

to California after spending

two weeks with her parents,

Claribel Poland is improv-

ing and doing quite well after

My sister, Dotte Critser,

Tempe, Ariz., called and is

feeling more like herself all

the time. They changed her

medicine and it seems to be

helping. We keep in touch by

Larry Billings, curator,

Woodstock Historical Society

reports that they have decided

to print a book on "Culture'

by Curator Billings, who has

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### <u>Locke Mills</u>



Lorraine Larson

It seems as if I am always in a hurry and in being so I do not proof-

read my column thorough: ly enough. That being said, I have not yet had the ability to raise the dead in real life but I sure can in my column; it is Russell "Joe" Yates that is the brother Lorene Mills' mother, Laura Hutchins, is stay, ing with, not Bryce, who, unfortunately, died some time ago. Ada Cummings is in Norway Rehab, not the Veterans' Home, and Norway Rehab is obviously in Norway not in South Paris. Then perhaps it would have been clearer when mentioning studying Romans, Chapters 1 and 2, if I were to say that most of it deals in how not to live rather than how to live. I knew what I meant but I am not sure if anyone else would. I once took a course in communicating and one of the things I gleaned from that is that "what you are saying

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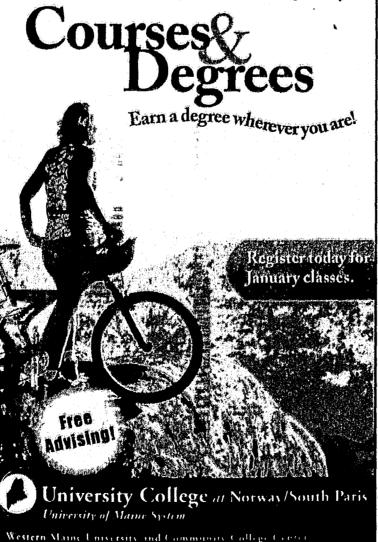
gravy, a glass jar of apple sauce and last but not least, place the holiday bird in an aluminum roasting pan.

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may not be what someone else 'is hearing" and it is true of the written word also.

Monday afternoon, I helped Debbie Brown wrap some of her homemade soaps and then stayed for supper. I have fun doing that and Debbie always has good food so I enjoyed that

Then on Wednesday afternoon I went with Debbie Brown, to see her mother, Ada Cummings, which is when I found out I had her in the wrong place. I could not figure out why Debbie was on the wrong road to go to the Veterans' Home but I did not say anything figuring maybe she 'needed to go somewhere else first. So I was a bit surprised to find us at Norway Rehab. I was also surprised to see Helen Farrar in the room next to Ada. She seems to be doing

After the visit Debbie and I headed out to church in Rumford Center where I am presently teaching a course in discipleship on Wednesday evenings. I am having fun and I hope everyone else is, too.

I was just talking with Debbie and she says her mother is expected to come home on Nov. 18, just in time for the holidays. Now the problem will be to keep her from overdoing. Ada does not let any grass grow under her feet.

I have gorgeous Christmas cacti blooming in various shades. I love the cacti blooms; I just wish they lasted longer. They had a beautiful one blooming in the dining room at the Norway Rehab, too. I think the biggest one I ever saw was one Ersel Murphy had or has. It was so large she wheeled it around in a baby stroller or some such contraption.

I was sorry to read in the paper of the deaths of Bob Mills, Daisy LeClair, and Bob Mason. They will all be missed, I

I am hoping to get to church Saturday morning to help fill Thanksgiving boxes.

It is always a fun thing to do and the church plans to give out more than 45 boxes this vear.

Hopefully, that will make some folks' Thanksgiving holiday more enjoyable.

There is a great need of food these days as people struggle to meet the rising energy costs. There is often not room in the budget for both food and



Greetings and hello from Albany Township. These past couple of

by Sheila

weeks have seen some snow in our part of Maine.

Everyone is still gathering wood for the coming winter months, as is evidenced by the sounds of chainsaws singing away as they cut into the logs. Nothing beats the heat that comes from a wood fire. Oil is nice and convenient, but, just not as penetrating as wood,

We hope that everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving on Thursday, with friends and family near, and wonderful fellowship. Whether you have the traditional turkey dinner, or go out for some Chinese food, we hope that you all enjoy your day together. We are thankful for our family and friends, and all that God has provided to us.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and

Waterford



Rockie Graham

By the time you read this it will be Thanksgiving. Hope yours is great.

We plan on having a group of friends join us in celebrating. The transfer stations will be closed so neither of us has to work. I have a sad bit of news to re-

port. Last week, Thursday, the 17th, Willard Wight of Newry, a former selectman and part of Windy Valley Snowmobile Club, as well as the Fire Department, Grange, American Legion, Bethel Historical Society and the Newry Community Church, died at Ledgeview Living Center. His wife, Sylvia, survives him. She is currently at Ledgeview Living Center. Bill was the father of Gretchen Strauss (William Strauss) of Waterford. He is also survived by two sons, Stephen W Wight and his wife Marlene of Old Town, David L Wight and his wife Anne of Greenbush and one brother, Owen Wight of Newry and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He will be missed by all.

There is a community Thanksgiving Dinner at North Waterford Congregational

Church. All are invited. For more information, please call Rev. Frobig at 693-6461.

Friday, the 25th, is Open Mic Night at the First Universalist Church in Norway. All performers are invited. Donations of non-perishable food will be accepted for Oxford Hills food pantry. FMI: call Heather at

995-4505. With the holiday season upon us, it is the time to start thinking about our fellow community members. This may be a hard season for many, Fortunately, it has been a mild winter, so far, but they are predicting snow for Thanksgiving.

That is all for this week. Have a great holiday and drive

From the

### Bethel Lions Club

The Bethel Lions held a workshop on Nov. 16 at the Methodist Church on Main Street. We put together 12 fruit baskets for former residents of Bethel, who now reside at Ledgeview Living Center. Plans were made to deliver the fruit baskets the next day.

Lions from the Harrison Club who were present were Bob and Jan Swett, and Clyde and Martha Nason. From the Bethel Club, Ed and Gert Friel, and Eldon Greenleaf stopped by to drop off some forms and information, also some refreshments.

Also present were three prospective members, Joe and Lynn Arizzi, and Becky Morin. David Bartlett stopped by to drop off some fruit.

Plans were made for our Christmas Party. There was no meeting on Nov. 22, with Thanksgiving only two days

### Oxford County Republicans

More than sixty Oxford County Republicans gathered on Nov. 15 at the Norway Congregational Church to choose a nominee who will be officially recommended to Governor Baldacci for appointment to serve out the term of Oxford County District Three Commissioner Albert "Jim" Carey, who recently resigned due to ill-health.

Forty-four delegates and their proxies were determined eligible to vote during the caucus, which followed a ham dinner and the business meeting. Only official delegates elect-

ed at town caucuses in 2004 or

their representatives (proxies) were eligible to participate in the selection process.

Under the law, Carey, a Republican, must be succeeded by a member of the same political party. Four candidates for the post appeared including Jeffrey Fagan, Paris; Raymond Garnett, Paris; Caldwell Jackson, Oxford; Dennis Sanborn, Oxford.

After a second vote, businessman Jeffrey Fagan was declared the winner following the first vote which ended in a tie between Fagan and Caldwell Jackson. Fagan's name will now be submitted to the governor for appointment. The term will expire at the end of 2006 and Fagan is expected to seek election in the Republican primary in June.

During the business meeting, Diane Jackson was selected by vote of the committee to serve as Oxford County's member on the Platform Com-

Special guests for the evening were College Republican Chairman Nate Walton of Bates College in Lewiston and Dan Schuberth of Bowdoin College in Brunswick, former chairman of the Maine College Republicans and currently secretary of the National College Republicans.

Schuberth announced his candidacy for vice chairman of the Maine Republican Party, which will be decided in Augusta on Nov. 19.

Chairman Jones also announced that the next meeting would be held on Dec. 13 in Dixfield at the Congregational Church. State Senator Chandler Woodcock (R-Farmington), who is running for the Republican nomination for governor, will be the featured speaker.

From the

### Oxford County Democrats

The Oxford County Democrats met on Nov. 17 at Telstar Regional High School in Bethel for a potluck supper and business meeting.

County Chairperson Cathy Newell highlighted the activities the past months, including events attended by Gov. John Baldacci, Congressman Mike Michaud, and Attorney General Steve Rowe, as well as the fairs and the Business Expos in Rumford and South Paris. She thanked all who assisted with the busy schedule of events.

Treasurer Mike Broderick reported on the committee's financial status and plans for

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HAPPY THANKSGIVING—Sunday River furthered the tradition of giving during their opening weekend by giving free Thanksgiving turkeys to all staff Friday. Here, Marvin Collins, vice president of mountain operations hands out a bird. Guests who brought at least three cans of food were able to save money on their lift ticket while helping a worthy cause. The Tin Mountain Roundup is an event staged at ski areas across Maine with help from the Ski Maine Association. This year's event saw more than 600 people donate over 2,000 cans of food to the Bethel Food Pantry. "Sunday River's Roundup just about doubled the amount of food we have on hand," said Erika Penczer, a volunteer for the Bethel Food Pantry. "We really appreciate the generosity of the community in keeping the pantry stocked for those who need it. The Holidays are a busy time for us, but the need is really year-round." Those looking to donate to the pantry are urged to call Penczer at 824-7639. Residents of SAD44 seeking assistance from the pantry should call the Bethel Town Office at 824-2669,

the year ahead. Broderick, who chairs the Maine Democratic Party's Platform Committee, described the work to date and the schedule of meetings which will precede the 2006 Convention set for June 2 and 3 in Augusta.

Wayne Gallant of Rumford, currently chief of police in Wilton, announced his candidacy for sheriff in the 2006 election.

Oxford County Register of Deeds Jane Rich announced her candidacy for re-election. Diane Russell gave a report

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Torvic Vadarmis of Bangor, field director for the Maine Democrats in the region including Oxford County, spoke

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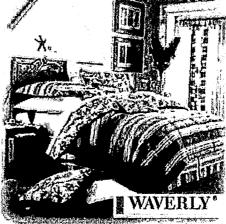
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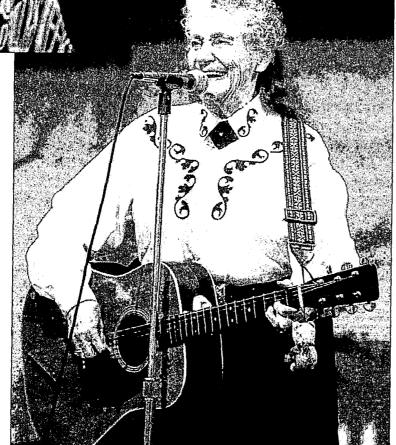
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A "Mock Hee Haw" show took place at the Franklin Grange Hall in Bryant Pond Saturday evening. Here (clockwise, from left): Richard Felt guides his partner in a dance that included audience members; Laura Hutchins reacts to a Felt joke; Ginger Mae Dyer yodels; and Bob Dolloff twirls Michele Varuolo. Proceeds went to support the Grange.

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These appendixes establish the amount of general assistance that is available to qualifying citizens for housing, food, heating and utilities. A copy of the document is on file at the Woodstock Town Office.

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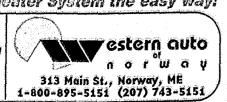
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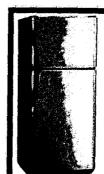
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# Telstar High School 2005/2006 WINTER SPORTS SCHEDULE

### **BOYS BASKETBALL**

| DATE     | APP ARE          |                 | Var. 1 - 2 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - |
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| DAIE     | TEAM             | PLACE           | TIME   |
| Novembe  | er               |                 |  |
| Tues 29  | Fryeburg Academy | Telstar         | 5:00   |
|          |                  |                 | 0.00   |
| Decembe  | er               |                 |  |
| Fri 2    | Oxford Hills     | So. Paris       | 5;00   |
| Tues 6   | Gorham, NH       | Telstar         | 4:00   |
| Wed 7    | Rangeley         | Rangeley        | 5:00   |
| Sat 10   | Boothbay         | Boothbay        | 5:30   |
| Tues 13  | Dirigo           | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| Sat 17   | Wiscasset        | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| Mon 19   | Winthrop         | Winthrop        | 5:30   |
| Thurs 22 | Mt. Abram        | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| Wed 28   | Monmouth Academy | Monmouth        | 5:30   |
| Fri 30   | Georges Valley   | Thomaston       | 5:30   |
| January  |                  |                 |  |
| Wed 4    | Mt Valley        | Rumford         | 5:30   |
| Mon 9    | Livermore Falls  | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| Thurs 12 | Lisbon           | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| Mon 16   | Carrabec         | No. Anson       | 5:30   |
| Wed 18   | Dirigo           | Dixfield        | 5:30   |
| Fri 20   | Jay              | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| Mon 23   | Hall-Dale        | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| Fri 27   | Madison          | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| Tues 31  | Mt Valley        | Telstar         | 5:30   |
| February | •                |                 |  |
| Tues 7   | Livermore Falls  | Livermore Falls | E-20   |
| Thurs 9  | Lisbon           | Lisbon          | 5:30<br>5:30                                 |

### GIRLS BASKETBALL

| DATE      | TEAM              | PLACE           | TIME |
|-----------|-------------------|-----------------|------|
| Novemb    | per               |                 |      |
| Tues 29   | Gorham, NH        | Gorham, NH      | 3:30 |
| Decemb    | er                |                 |      |
| Thurs 1   | Fryeburg Academy  | Telstar         | 5:00 |
| Wed 7     | Rangeley V/JV     | Rangeley        | 5:00 |
| Fri 9     | Boothbay          | Telstar         | 5:30 |
| Mon 12    | Dirigo            | Dirigo          | 5:30 |
| Fri 16    | Wiscasset         | Wiscasset       | 5:30 |
| Mon 19    | Winthrop (V only) | Telstar         | 6:00 |
| Wed 21    | Mt. Abram         | Salem           | 5:30 |
| Tues 27   | Monmouth Academy  | Telstar         | 5:30 |
| Thurs 29  | Georges Valley    | Telstar         | 5:30 |
| January   | •                 |                 |      |
| Tues 3    | Mt Valley         | Telstar         | 5:30 |
| Tues 10   | Livermore Falls   | Livermore Falls | 5:30 |
| Friday 13 | Lisbon            | Lisbon          | 5:30 |
| Tues 17   | Carrabec          | Telstar         | 5:30 |
| Thurs 19  | Dirigo            | Telstar         | 5:30 |
| Sat 21    | Jay               | Jay             | 5:30 |
| Tues 24   | Hall-Dale         | Farmingdale     | 5:30 |
| Sat 28    | Madison           | Madison         | 5:30 |
| Mon 30    | Mt Valley         | Rumford         | 5:30 |
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| Mon 6     | Livermore Falls   | Telstar         | 5:30 |
| Wed 8     | Lisbon            | Telstar         | 5:30 |
|           |                   | igiolai         | 3.30 |

### **ALPINE SKIING**

| DATE      | PLACE                               | EVENT |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| December  |                                     |       |
| Thurs. 15 | Mt. Abram                           | GS    |
| Thurs 29  | Black Mt                            | GS    |
| January   |                                     |       |
| Thurs 5   | Sunday River                        | S     |
| Wed 11    | Black Mt                            | GS    |
| Thurs 12  | Sunday River                        | GS    |
| Thurs 19  | Sunday River                        | S     |
| Wed 26    | Sunday River (Telstar Invitational) | GS    |
| February  |                                     |       |
| Wed 1     | Black Mt                            | GS    |
| Sat 4     | Black Mt                            | S     |
| Thurs 9   | MVCs @ Black Mt                     | GS    |
| Sat 11    | MVCs @ Black Mt                     | s     |
| Fri 17    | Sunday River (Telstar Invitational) | S     |
| Mon 20    | States @ Sunday River               | GS    |
| Tues 21   | States @ Sunday River               | S     |
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### **NORDIC SKIING**

| DATE  | PLACE   | EVENT                                  |
|---|---|--|
| December<br>Wed 21<br>Fri 30                                | Telstar<br>Black Mt   | F<br>F                                 |
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# Telstar Middle School 2005/2006 WINTER SPORTS SCHEDULE

### **BOYS BASKEBALL**

| DATE     | TEAM            | PLACE           | TIME   |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| Decembe  | er              | •               |  |
| Wed 7    | Jay *           | Telstar         | 3:30   |
| Mon 12   | Madison         | Telstar         | 3:30   |
| Wed 14   | Dirigo          | Dixfield        | 3:30   |
| Mon 19   | Livermore Falls | Telstar         | 3:30   |
| January  |                 |                 |  |
| Wed 4    | Carrabec        | N. Anson        | 3:30   |
| Wed 11   | Mt. Valley      | Telstar         | 3:30   |
| Wed 18   | Jay             | Jay             | 3:30   |
| Mon 23   | Madison         | Madison         | 3:30   |
| Wed 25   | Dirigo          | Telstar         | 3:30   |
| Mon 30   | Livermore Falls | Livermore Falls | 3:30   |
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### **GIRLS BASKETBALL**

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| DATE     | TEAM            | PLACE           | TIME |
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| Wed 7    | Jay             | Jay             | 3:30 |
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| Wed 11   | Mt. Valley      | Rumford         | 3:30 |
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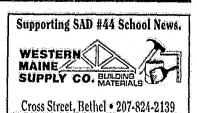
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### Events Calendar

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, \$2.50; all other guests, \$4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3591 or 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels), 9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food

Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net. Wednesdays, thru Nov. 30, 5:30 to 7 p.m. - Parenting Education Group, for parents of teens and adolescents at Community Concepts Finance conference Room, 4 Market Square, South Paris. Free, To register, call Kelly Whitman at 739-6368.

Nov. 3-26 — Student Art Exhibit at Fare Share Commons, 443 Main+ Street, Norway. Public invited. Exhibit is dedicated to the life and creative spirit of Michelle Waterhouse, a talented art student who died last

Nov. 8 thru Dec. 13, 5:15 to 6:30 p.m. — Qi Gong for Health classes at the Bethel Family Health Center. Betsey Foster, MPH, instructor. FMI:

Wednesday, Nov. 23 10:30 a.m. — "Pine Barrens" by John McPhee will be

discussed at Waterford Library. 7 p.m. — Thanksgiving Eve Service at North Water-

ford Congregational Church (UCC). 7 p.m. — Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service at West Bethel Union Church. Thursday, Nov. 24

Noon — Community Thanksgiving Dinner at North Waterford Congregational Church. All invited. FMI: contact the Rev. Frobig at 693-6461.

Noon — Thanksgiving Day Dinner at St. Catherine's Church parish center, 32 Paris Street, Norway. Free. Phone 743-2606 for reservations.

1 to 4 p.m. — Dessert Buffet at Maine Veterans' Home, High Street, South Paris in the Multi-Purpose Room. All are invited.

Friday, Nov. 25 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Local Craft and Wares Fair at Bethel Inn Conference Center, FMI: 824-2282. Evening - Pinhook House Meeting Society annual Christmas tree lighting. Bulbs (\$3) may be purchased to remember a loved one or to honor a person. Please see Norma Davis. Proceeds will benefit the soci-

ety and help with the upkeep. 6:30 p.m. (sign-up) — Norway Open Mic Night at First Universalist Church, 479 Main Street. Admission: \$3. All performers all ages and abilities invited to share the stage at this fun family event. Donations of non-perishable food items will be accepted for delivery to Oxford Hills Food Pantry. All are welcome to attend. FMI: call Heather at 935-4505 or e-mail vessel@prexar.com.

Saturday, Nov. 26
9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Holiday Fair at Rumford Point Church by the Ladies Aid. Dried flower arrangements, woodworking, knit goods, wreaths, gifts, food and jewelry. Soup and sandwich luncheon also available.

Wreath orders taken by CPS 5th Grade Fundraisers at Telstar Craft Fair will arrive and be distributed from SAD44 Transportation Garage. Extra wreaths will

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Christmas Tree Fair at Gorham, N.H., Congregational Church, UCC, 143 Main Street, Gorham. Cookie walk, baked goods, candy, gingerbread man cookie decorating, hand-crafted ornaments. holiday decorations, gift items, hats, mittens, wreaths, attic treasures, etc. Luncheon will be served. FMI: (603) 466-

11 a.m. — 29th annual Christmas Parade from Market Square, South Paris to the Advertiser Democrat in Norway, rain or shine. Registration forms available at Oxford Hills Chamber of Commerce for float entries, Parade theme: Bicentennial Christmas. 8 to 11 p.m. — Old Fashioned Dance at Locke Mills

Town Hall with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of the Greenwood Historical Society.

8 p.m. (doors open) — "Gin Blossoms," opening act of Bud Light Concert Series upstairs at White Cap Lodge, kiver ski kesort. Tickets: \$20 advance or \$25 at door. FMI: visit www.sundayriver.com/concerts.

November 26 and 27 Demo Days at Sunday River Ski Resort. Sample this season's latest gear for an all-day fee of \$5.

Sunday, Nov. 27 Country Breakfast at Gould Academy Ordway Dining Hall, sponsored by Bethel Rotary Club.

Monday, Nov. 28

2 p.m. - Auction at Oddfellow Theater, Buckfield. Doors open 1 p.m. for viewing, Bid on items, from guitars and unicycles to hand-crafted items and gift certificates. FMI: 336-3306 or e-mail mike@oddfellow.com.

7 p.m. — Project Graduation Meeting at Telstar Library. Open to students, family, friends. Discussion will include ideas for graduation night and the need for volunteers to help sell Christmas trees at "Kids for Trees"

November 28-30
9:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. — Annual Christmas Sale at Ledgeview Living Center, West Paris, Times: Monday-Tuesday, 9:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. and Wednesday, 9 to 12 a.m. FMI: 674-2250.

Tuesday, Nov. 29
11:30 a.m. — Christian Women United meeting/lun-

cheon at Congregational Church, 17 East Main Street, South Paris. Speaker: Anita Wiles. Music by Dot Canwell. Reservations: 743-5724.

Wednesday, Nov. 30

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — American Red Cross Blood Drive at Bridgton Academy, student lounge, Route 37, North

Thursday, Dec. 1

7 p.m. — "Seabirds of Alaska," power point show by Aly McKnight and Kelsey Sullivan, Albany, of their work in Prince William Sound, Alaska, will be presented at Norway Memorial Library. Public welcome. FMI:

Friday, Dec. 2
10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — "Deck the Halls" — help decorate the McLaughlin house and barn for the holidays. Music, goodies and cider all day. Free.

December 2 and 3 7:30 p.m. — Early Evening Show, with Jason Tardy, of juggling group TWO, as cohost at Oddfellow Theater,

Buckfield. Doors open 7 p.m. Tickets: \$10 for adults, \$8 for seniors, and \$6 for children 12 and under, available by calling box office (336-3306) Wednesday-Thursday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., 12 to 5 p.m. Friday, or 9 to 12 a.m. Saturday. Visa and MasterCard accepted. FMI: www.oddfel-

Saturday, Dec. 3 9 to 11 a.m. - Breakfast with Santa at Crescent Park School. All welcome. Food, crafts, music and photo opportunities with Santa. Free admission.

Local author Pat Stewart will be available to meet and sign copies of her new book, "Mollyockett," at crushfire Books, 162 Main Street, Bethel in the Philbrook Place. Free donuts and cider will be provided.

Please call 824-2709 for more information.

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Windows to the Holidays Fair at Wilkins Community House, next to church at foot of Plummer Hill. Morning coffee, and fish chowder and other entrees at lunch. Grandma's attic, knit goods, books, Fair Fancy craft table, bake shop and indoor yard sale. Storm date: Dec. 10. FMI: call Karen Fillebrown at 583-

10 to 12 a.m. — Holiday Greens Wreath Class at McLaughlin Foundation, Main Street, South Paris. Cost: members \$25 and non-members \$30. Pre-register (743-8820) Visa/MC/Discover accepted. Noon to 2 p.m. Taste of Bethel and Theme Wreath Silent Auc-

tion at Telstar High School cafeteria. FMI: 824-2282. 1 to 4 p.m. — Christmas Fair and Tea at West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel. Traditional fireside tea, Christmas crafts, greens, handmade knitted items and crafts featured.

1 to 4 p.m. - The Chocolate Festival at Victoria Restaurant, Main Street, Betnel. \$5 cover charge. To benefit senior class of 2006. FMI: call Roy at 527-2725

2 to 4 p.m. — Rabies Clinic at Bethel Fire Station Fee: \$10 for rabies shot. A staff member from Bethel Town Office will be available to license dogs for Beth-



Norway singer-songwriter Nathan Towne performs at the Norway Open Mic Night.

### The next Norway Open Mic Night will be held on Friday, November 25th

At the First Universalist Church, 479 Main St., Norway, ME. Sign-up is at 6:30 p.m., and the evening kicks off around 7:00 p.m. Admission is \$3. The open mic nights, now nearly completed their 4th year, are hosted by Vessel Recordings artist Heather Pierson.

All performers of all ages and abilities are invited to share the stage at this fun family event. As is the holiday tradition, donations of non-perishable food items will be accepted for delivery to the Oxford Hills Food Pantry.

The Norway Open Mic Night is held on the last Friday evening of each month. All are welcome! For more information, please call Heather at 207-935-4505 or email vessel@prexar.com.

el, Albany and Mason residents. \$10 per dog or \$6 for spayed or neutered dog.
4 to 6 p.m. — Strawbale Construction. Noah Went-

worth, award-winning designer of Strawbale homes in New England, will be at Norway Memorial Library. All invited to attend. FMI: 824-4301 or 824-0426.

4:30 p.m. — Christmas Tree Lighting and arrival of Santa at Bethel Village Common.

5:30 p.m. — Public Supper at Bethel United Methodist Church, Main Street. Menu: baked beans, hot dishes, salads, pie, rolls, beverage. Adults, \$6; under 12, \$2.50/ 7:30 p.m. — Maine Irish Christmas Concert, harp

and Irish music, will be presented at Maine Irish Heritage Center, Corner Gray and State Streets, Portland. Admission: \$15, \$12 for seniors. Group discounts available. Tickets: available at any Bull Moose Music location, at Maine Irish Heritage Center, or at door. FMI: 780-0118 or info@maineirish.com.

7:30 p.m. — Mahoosuc Community Band will perform a benefit concert for Locke Mills Legion Hall's new roof at the hall on Gore Road, Locke Mills.

Sunday, Dec. 4
Santa Sunday at Sunday River Ski Resort, a fundraiser for Bethel Rotary Club. Participants should wear a Santa costume and donate a minimum of \$10, which goes toward Bethel Rotary Club's annual Christmas drive to purchase gifts for children in need. In return participants receive free skiing and riding for that day and two additional lift tickets valid until Dec. 16. Santas gather at South Ridge at 11 a.m. for photos. Pre-registration required. To register, go to www.sundayriver.com.

1 to 5 p.m. — A Country Music Show, Charlie's Entertainment Center, Main Street, Norway. Adults, \$5; children, \$2. Proceeds to benefit Tennessee bus trip for "DECMA" competitors, FMI: 793-8884, 743-2922, 674-2571.

1 p.m. — Christmas For Families Benefit Bingo at Jackson-Silver Post 68, Locke Mills. Doors open 11 a.m.. Food sale, raffle tickets and calendars for sale. Non smoking. FMI: 836-3600 or 836-3663.

2 p.m. — Christmas Music by The King's Revels, a group of musicians from southern Maine, sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College and Mahoosuc Arts Council, at West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel.

Donations accepted at the door.

4 to 6 p.m. — Benefit Supper for Dawson Vincent (born 6/23/05), who is at The Barbara Bush Hospital, Portland. Where: South Paris Legion Hall. Prizes donated by family and friends will be raffled. 50/50 drawing at dinner. Donations welcome; please send to Just Read It. PO Box 344, West Paris, ME 04289. FMI: call Trap Corner Restaurant 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily and ask for Manda

7 p.m. — Randolph (N.H.) Mountain Club presentation by two world-class rock climbers, Dean Potter and Stephanie Davis, at Randolph Town Hall, \$5 donation at door to benefit the club. FMI: contact Tony Potter (603) 466-2140 or Bob Potter (603 466-2765.

CORRECTION

FLU SHOTS NOT COVERED — An item in last week's Community Calendar regarding a Flu Clinic at the Bethel Family Health Center should not have said the shots are covered by Medicare. The incorrect information was not provided by BFHC. The Citizen regrets any inconvenience caused by the error.

### Support Services

#### ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750: Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

### AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Closed Women's Speaker/Discussion Meeting. Tuesdays at 6:30 at the United Methodist Church, Main Street. Bethel Freedom Group's Step Meeting. Fri-

days at 6pm at Bethel United Methodist Church. Al-Anon Meeting Mondays at 8pm at the Oxford Advent Christian Church (use the north side entrance of the church)

#### ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSELING

Alcohol and drug counseling. Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC, 357-7354

### **EXCHANGES**

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566. 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

### MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

### GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Meets Tuesday in the conference room at the Mexico Congregational UCC ("The Green Church"), 153

Main Street, Mexico. Everything spoken and heard here is confidential. Anyone trying to cope with the loss of a loved one is welcome. FMI call Sue Byam at 364-8185

#### MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness. same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

### POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

### REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

### **VETERANS' SERVICES**

(STATE/VA BENEFITS) Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm, Tel.

### Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thurssday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Thursday 6-8pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday. 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Safurday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian, 824-2520. Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6-8pm to the public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9pm. Tel. 743-2980 Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond; Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm, 674-2004 Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12.

Upton Library: Saturdays 9-11am

### Church Services

### ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 10 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9:30am; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau until Easter.

### ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Pastor Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. Tuesday - Sunday School 3-4:15. All are welcome. FMI - 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor John O'Keefe. Morning worship at 10:45-noon, Sunday School, 9:30-10:30. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m., Rt. 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

### BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Pastor Kevin Bellinger (824-2289). Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9am; Morning worship service at 10am; Kidz Klub (4th-5th grade) and Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 5:30pm; Evening service at 6pm Wednesdays; Prayer fellow-

ship at 7pm. Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 am. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. Wednesday evening prayer service, 7pm. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickeman. 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m.. FMI call 824-0550.

Our Lady of the Snows- Mass - Sat-

urday, 4:30 p.m. Pastor: Rev. Gerald A. Levesque, 743-2606 United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.. There is also an adult study group during Sunday School.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-2844 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally. 9 a.m Sunday school. 10 a.m.

worship. Awana Clubs. FMI 836-3006 or Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith

Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road

(Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday, 824-3577 FMI. Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

### EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church-Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at Stoneham Oct. 2, 16, 23 & 30, and at North Waterford Oct. 9. Rev. George Frobig, 693-6461,

#### GORHAM, NH Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday ser-

p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.. FMI HARRISON Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sun-

day worship at 8:45 a.m.. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 998-7040 for more info. LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank

Haines Sunday morning service will be-

### MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints-265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel.

### NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April).

Sunday River Christian Ministry-Rev. Don Coverdale. On-mountain interdenominational worship service held every Sunday during ski season. Come as you are, for service of peace, prayer and

### NORWAY/PARIS

Christian Science Church - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 440 Main Street, Norway. Call 824-4099 for info or ride Trinity Evangelical Lutheran

Church - Route 117N, S. Paris, Pastor Tom Telchmann. Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after. Sunday School at 9 a.m. North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris, Sunday Service 8 a.m., Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singspera-

with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m., Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

tion third Sunday each month alternating

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.; Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more First Baptist Church of Paris-On the Common at the top of Paris Hill, 10:30 a.m.

lowship lunch will be held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake, St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass.

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Unitarian Universalist Church of

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Norway - 11am worship, (Sept - June)

tion classes 11am-12:15pm, FMI 743-2828. vice 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile

#### Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30. a.m. Mass. RUMFORD

St. Barnabus Episcopal Church Mass, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Canon Henry Male. Jr. Special holidays will be annouricelled Stone church at the rotary. RUMFORD CENTER

### Praise Assembly of God - Pastor

Justin Thacker, Sunday School 9:00 a.m., Sunday worship service at 10:00 a.m. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00 p.m. East' Andover Rd. For more information, call. RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor-Frank Haines. SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational-Linda

#### imbali, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m. WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship. 674-2365, West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 am., Bruce Tyner, Pastor, Sunday School Preschool thru kindergar ten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6. 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m.; Monday Diaconnette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies -fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi-Weekly 9:30-11:30am, Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm, church business meetings the third ednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church · Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

### WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Law-. rence Hodgkins, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour. 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school, 11 a.m. worship service. Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232.

North Woodstock) - Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome, Mahoosuc Mountain - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 FMI.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen Office. mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The Deadline is Monday at Noon

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| (22)     | Series of Pol                         | ker             | College Foot   | ball: Pittsburg            | gh at West Vir  | ginia         |                                       | SportsCenter        |                    |                |  |
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| (41)     | FullTiltPoker                         | net Invitation  | al Cont'd      |                            |                 |               | Sports                                | Tailgate            | FullTiltPoker      |                |  |
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| (20)     | NESN Retro                            |                 | Wait 'Til This | Year                       |                 | Red Sox       | SportsDesk SportsPlus                 |                     | SportsDesk         | ESPNews        |  |
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| (24)     | Avatar                                | Avatar          | Avatar         | Avatar                     | Full House      | Fresh Pr.     | Full House                            | Fatherhood          |                    | Fresh Pr.      |  |
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| (26)     | "Meet the Parents" Movie: "How to Los |                 |                | to Lose a Gu               | y in 10 Days"   | inni          |                                       | Movie: "Ame         |                    |                |  |
| (27)     | Cold Case Files Cold Case Files       |                 |                | es                         | Cold Case Fi    | les           | The First 48                          |                     |                    | dan            |  |
| (12)     | Funniest Hon                          | ne Videos       | Movie: "Vega   | s Vacation"                |                 |               |                                       | , 5,1000            |                    | Becker         |  |
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| (12)       | Maximum Ex                                    | oosure        | Hollywood Cl                        | nristmas Para             |  |  | WGN News Replay  |   | Sex & City  | Becker   |
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| (3)      | Fortune       | Jeopardyl    | One             | All of Us    | Girlfriends    | Half & Half       | Dr. Phil        |  | South Park      | South Park  |  |
| (32)     | Smallville    |              | Movie: "Bliz    | zard"        |                |                   | Whose? Whose?   |  | The 700 Club    |             |  |
| <b>6</b> | 207 Mag       | Seinfeld     | Surface         |              | Las Vegas      |                   | Medium          | <u>, L</u>   | News            |             |  |
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| (41)     | Celtics       | NBA Basket   | ball: Orlando i | Magic at Bos | on Celtics     |                   | Sports          | Sports   | Best Damn S     | Sports Show |  |
| (15)     | Movie: "Secr  | et Window"   |                 |              | Movie: "Yes    | terday"           | ·               |  | nt of the Phoe  |             |  |
| (17)     | So Raven      | So Raven     | Movie: "Cad     | et Kelly"    |                |                   | Naturally       |  | So Raven        | So Raven    |  |
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| (20)     | Outdoors      | Outdoors     | NE Journal      | The RIDE     | Xterra         | Xterra            | SportsDesk      |  | T               | ESPNews     |  |
| (44)     | Movie: "Chris | tmas in My F | lometown"       |              | Movie: "Craz   | y for Christma    | as"             |  | Will-Grace      | Will-Grace  |  |
| (5)      | Raymond       | Raymond      | Friends         | Friends      | Friends        | Friends           | Family Guy      | Family Guy   | Movie: "Scro    | oged"       |  |
| (24)     | Oddparents    | Neutron      | SpongeBob       | Full House   | Full House     | Fresh Pr.         | Full House      | Full House   | Roseanne        | Cosby       |  |
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| 26)      | Law & Order:  | SVU          | Law Order: C    | 1            | WWE Monda      | y Night Raw       | *****           |  | Movie; "Black   | Dog"        |  |
| 27)      | Cold Case Fil | es           | The Child Se    | x Trade      | Gotti          | Gotti ·           | Airline         | Airline  | Crossing Jordan |             |  |
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| 6        | 207 Mag                                 | Seinfeld                            | The Biggest                            | The Biggest Loser      |  |            | Law & Order             |              |                       |            |
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| (22)     | College Basketball: Wisconsin at Wake   |                                     |  | Forest                 | College Basketball: Illinois at North Carolina |            |                         |              | SportsCenter          |            |
| (34)     | CSI: Crime Scn CSI: Crime Scn           |                                     |  | Movie: "Death Warrant" |  |            |                         | Real TV      |                       |            |
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| (41)     | Sports                                  | Football                            | Chris Myers                            | Poker                  | Best Damn Sports Show                          |            | Sports                  | Sports       | Best Damn Sports Show |            |
| (15)     | "Intolerable Cruelty"                   |                                     | The Sopranos                           |                        | Real Sports                                    |            | Curb                    | Arrest       | Movie: "Spanglish"    |            |
| (17)     | So Raven                                | aven So Raven Movie: "Life Is Ruff" |  |                        | Dragon   |            | Dragon                  | Sister, Sis. | So Raven              | So Raven   |
| (18)     | "Tales From                             | the Hood"                           | Movie: "Exor                           | cist: The Beg          | inning"  |            | Movie: "Ray             | 1            | L-14.                 |            |
| (20)     | CFL Football: Grey Cup Teams TBA Cont'd |                                     |  |                        | SportsDe                                       |            | SportsDesk              | Breakaway    | SportsDesk            | ESPNews    |
| (44)     | Movie: "A Dif                           | ferent Kind o                       | of Christmas" Movie: "A Fare to Rememl |                        |  | ber"       |                         | Will-Grace   | Will-Grace            |            |
| (5)      | Raymond                                 | Raymond                             | Friends                                | Friends                | Sex & City                                     | Sex & City | Seinfeld                | Seinfeld     | Ace Ventura           |            |
| (24)     | Oddparents                              | Neutron                             | SpongeBob                              | Full House             | Full House                                     | Fatherhood | Fresh Pr.               | Fresh Pr.    | Roseanne              | Cosby      |
| (25)     | "Point Break"                           | ' Cont'd                            | Movie: "Insor                          | nnia"                  |  |            | Movie: "Death Wish II"  |              |                       |            |
| (26)     | "Stealing Christmas"                    |                                     | Law Order: CI                          |                        | Law Order: CI                                  |            |                         |              | Law Order: CI         |            |
| (27)     | American Justice                        |                                     | Cold Case Files                        |                        | Dog Dog  |            | Random 1                |              | Crossing Jordan       |            |
| (12)     | Funniest Home Videos                    |                                     | Da Vinci's Inquest                     |                        | Da Vinci's Inquest                             |            | WGN News at Nine        |              |                       | Becker     |
| (39)     | The Situation Room                      |                                     | Paula Zahn Now                         |                        | Larry King Live                                |            | Anderson Cooper 360     |              |                       |            |

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| (3)      | Fortune            | Jeopardy!                             | Next Top Model                          |                                       | Veronica Mars             |   | Dr. Phil  |              | South Park                        | South Park                             |
| (32)     | Smallville         |                                       | Movie: "Ric                             | nie Rich's Ch                         | istmas Wish" Whose?       |   | Whose?  | Whose?       | The 700 Club                      |  |
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| (34)     | CSI: Crime S       | cn                                    | CSI: Crime Sch Movie: "The Hunt for Red |                                       |                           | October"                                |   |              | PoliceVids                        |  |
| Œ        | Ent. Tonight       | The Insider                           | Red-Nosed Reindeer Criminal Minds       |                                       |                           | CSI: NY                                 |   | News         |                                   |  |
| (41)     | Celtics            | NBA Basket                            | ball: Philadelp                         | hia 76ers at I                        | Boston Celtics            | )                                       | Sports Sports   |              | Best Damn Sports Show             |  |
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| (17)     | So Raven           | So Raven                              | Movie: "Quir                            | its"                                  |                           | *************************************** | Life Derek  | Sister, Sis. | So Raven                          | So Raven                               |
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| (5)      | Raymond            | Raymond                               | Raymond                                 | Raymond                               | Raymond                   | Raymond                                 | Sex & City  | Sex & City   | Movie Boat                        | Trp                                    |
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| (25)     | "Death Wish        | Wish II Cont'd Movie Close Encounters |   |                                       |                           |   |   |              | Day the Earth Stood Still         |  |
| (26)     | 12 Days of Chr     |                                       | Law Order: CI                           |                                       | Law & Order, SVU          |   | Law & Order, SVU  |              | Law Order: CI                     |  |
| 27)      | American Justice   |                                       | Dog                                     | Dog                                   | Inked                     | Inked                                   | Criss Angel   | Criss Angel  | Crossing Jor                      | dan                                    |
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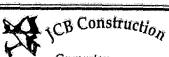
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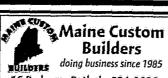
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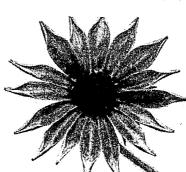
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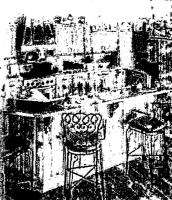
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SusanMooreofCongressman Michaud's staff brought greetings from Congressman Michaud who will be attending the Oxford County Committee's Holiday Party and Supper on Dec. 15 at the Rumford Eagles Hall.

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In October, a film crew from Maine Public Broadcasting was in Bethel to tape an episode of the popular show "Made in Maine" for presentation in November. Host Lou McNally visited the Smithsonian Institution's barn exhibit at the Bethel Historical Society and interviewed Societv Executive Director Stan Howe about the exhibit and Maine barns. The half-hour program dealt with barns and barn specialists in other locations, including Brooklin and Harrison, but began in Bethel with the exhibit and ended in Stan Howe's barn next door to the Dr. Mason barn. The show aired on Nov. 17 and 19 and will have one more airing on Nov. 28 at 10 p.m. on Channel

Earlier this year, Oxford

County celebrated its bicentenary of incorporation. During that time, the Bethel Historical Society enlisted two specialists to give lectures on the history of the County, These included Larry Glatz, who served as chair of the celebration, discussing the history of the Oxford Bear as a proud symbol of the county and Jean Hankins, Ph. D., of the Otisfield Historical Society, making a presentation on some myths about the County's settlement. These have now been published as scholarly essays in the latest issue of Maine Historical Society's quarterly "Maine History," Also appearing in this issue is an article by Bethel Historical Society Executive Director Stanley R. Howe on the seven men who were born in or were from Oxford County who served as governors or acting governors of the state. These included Abion Keith Parris (born in Hebron, served from Paris), Enoch Lincoln (lived in Fryeburg and Paris), John W. Dana (born in Fryeburg), Hannibal Hamlin (born in Paris), Sidney Perham (born in Wood-

### Honor roll

stock and attended Gould

Academy), Sebastian Streeter

Marble (born in Dixfield), and

Edmund S. Muskie (born in

Rumford). Also accompany-

ing the biographical sketches

are images of each governor.

TELSTAR HIGH/MIDDLE The following pupils have been named to the Telstar Regional High/Middle School honor roll for the first quarter of the 2005-2006 school year.

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### Obituaries

#### VIOLA MAY WHITMAN

Viola May Whitman, 53, of West Paris, died in Portland on Nov. 19, 2005.

She was born at home in Brownfield on Jan. 18, 1952, daughter of the late Howard and Audrey (Crouse) Miller, attended Brownfield elementary schools and graduated from Oxford Hills High School Class of 1970.

Viola had been very active in 4-H and had run the Chuck Wagon for over 25 years and ran the cook shack at the North Waterford Fair for 10 years.

She is survived by her husband of 31 years, Wendall Whitman of West Paris; one son, Toby Whitman and his wife Shari of West Paris; one brother, Bryan Miller of West Paris; two sisters, Sharon Robbins of Sumner and Patricia Powers of Stoneham; and three grandchildren. She was predeceased by one brother, Perley Miller.

A memorial service will be held at the Andrews Funeral Home, 64 Andrews Road, South Woodstock, on Sunday, Nov. 27, at 2 p.m. with Pastor Lloyd Waterhouse officiating. Memorials in her memory are suggested to the American Diabetes Association, N.E. Division, 163 Lancaster Street, Portland, ME 04101.

#### **HELEN ADA CHASE**

Helen Ada Chase, 93 of Locke Mills, died Nov. 22, 2005 at the Ledgeview Living Center, West Paris. She was born October 16, 1912 the daughter of Addie (Bennett) and Archibald Morrison in Calgary, Alberta Canada and was educated in Lewiston schools.

She married Edward W. Chase on March 1, 1930; he died November 8, 1987

Helen had worked at E.L. Tibbetts, Birchvilla Inn. and Ecko Wood Products.

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retired in 1977. She was a member of Locke Mills Union Church, the Ladies Circle, Woodstock Senior Citizens and the

Franklin Grange. She liked to cook, loved to have her grandchildren and great grandchildren around and enjoyed family get togeth. ers. She also liked to garden. In her younger years she raised chickens, rabbits, ducks, turkeys, pigs and cows. Helen also liked to sew.

She is survived by one son John Chase and his wife Leatrice of Locke Mills; one daughter Arlene Greenleaf and her husband John of Bethel; 9 grandchildren; 19 great grandchildren; 9 great great grandchildren; many nieces and nephews and a sister-in-law Vera Morrison,

She was predeceased by her parents, one sister and two brothers.

Visiting hours will be held at the Andrews Funeral Home, 64 Andrews Road, South Woodstock on Saturday evening, Nov. 26 from 6 to 8 p.m. Funeral services will' be held at the Locke Mills Union Church, Locke Mills on Sunday Nov. 27, at 2 pm with Rev. Franklin Haines officiating. Burial will be in. the Hunts Corner Cemetery, Albany.

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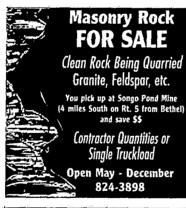
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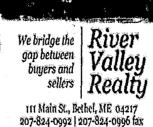
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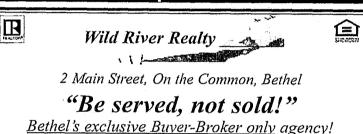
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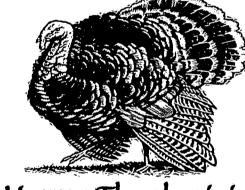


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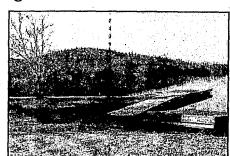
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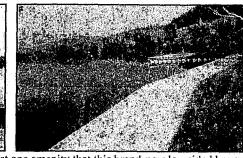
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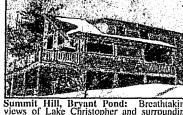




South Pond Shores, Greenwood: Deeded access to the NICEST BEACH on South Pond is just one amenity that this brand-new log-sided house has to offer. Nearing completion, the kitchen will open to the dining & living room under a beautiful cathedral ceiling with an expanse of windows. 3BR's, 2 baths, fireplace, walkout basement, LARGE 5.3 acre lot at the corner of Rowe Hill Rd, within walking distance to Twitchell Pond! This is a perfect spot just waiting for the right family. This new log home comes with deeded beach rights to what was formally "Abbott's Anchorage". The beach is long and sandy and there's a large dock for your boat. Make an appointment to see it! \$299,500









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Summit Hill, Bryant Pond; You'll be awed by the jaw-dropping view of mins, ridges & crystal clear waters of Lake Christopher from the prow deck of this sunning contemporary true log home. Custom bhill whigh-end materials & attention to details, you'll jove the great room wistone fireplace, beantid cathedral ceilings, wide plank floors, well appropriated kitchen, spacious dining area—all overlooking a panorumic 180 degree view from the 2-story wall of windows. Walkout basement wisame views affords future expansion



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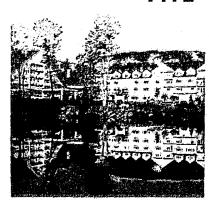
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NPI-208 2 Bdm/1 Bth

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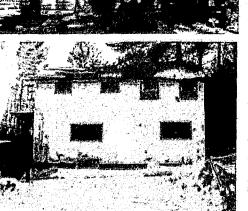
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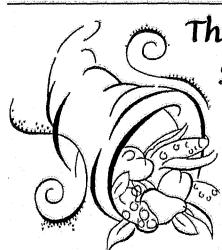
North Peak

Fall Line



Bear River Road, Newry: Don't miss this cozy cabin in the woods with over 350+/- feet of Bear River frontage and views of Sunday River Ški Resort! It combines rustic mountain living with the elegance: of a ski home. Nearing completion, this home offers a perfect opportunity for Buyer to include their own finishing touches. But don't wait: This lovely home is due: to be completed in the next couple of months! \$350,000

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F-6 3 Bdm/1.5 Bth

J-6 3 Bdm/2 Baths

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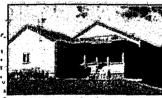
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Lot, 16 Grover Hill, Bethel



Golf Course & Bethel Inn

Lot, 16 Grover Hill, Bethel

View from property

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2 BEDROOMS

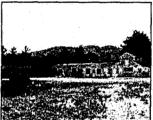


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Sit on your screened-in-porch and gaze out at the great views of mountains and Twitchell Pond. This cozy 2 bedroom cottage has great features. Skylights, Screened in porch, redone floors and its set back off the road. Walk across the street to your sandy right-of-way to the pond, new drilled well. \$159,000





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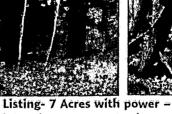


Great location to put you get-a-way or home! Close to Mt. Abram and surrounding activities. 8 acres with stream

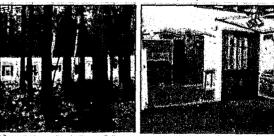




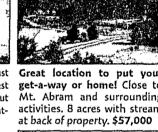




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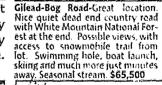






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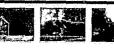
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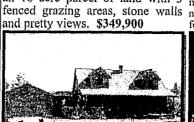
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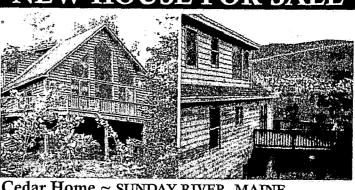


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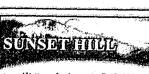
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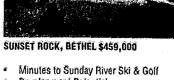


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Minutes to Sunday River Ski & Golf Development Potential

Spectacular Views

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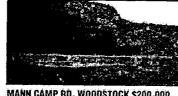


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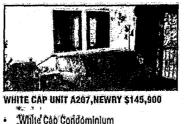
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CHURCH STREET, WOODSTOCK \$149,000

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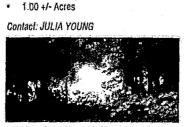
2 Fieldstone Fireplaces Open Floor Plan Detached One Car Garage Contact; MARGIE FINLEY



3 Bedroom / 2 Bath Mountain Views

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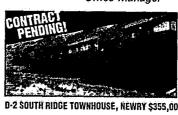
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INTERVALE ROAD, BETHEL \$299,000

25 +/- Very Private Acres Development Potential Deeded River Frontage Anderscoggin River Valley & Mtn Views

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Contact: MARGIE FINLEY MAYVILLE RD, RT2 - BETHEL • 4 +/- Acre Lot \$249,000

HOWE HILL ROAD - GREENWOOD 2.53 +/- Acres \$62.500 Contact: CHERI THURSTON

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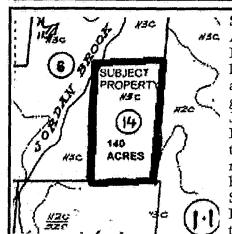
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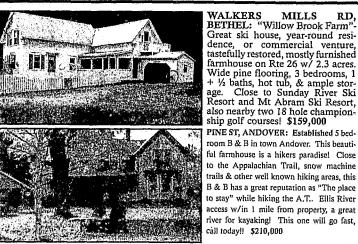
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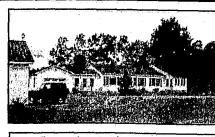
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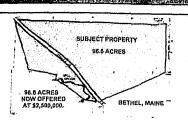


**SUNDAY** RIVER MSC AREA, **NEWRY:** Investment property like no other!! 140 acres close to the new golf course on the Jordan Grand Road. Development potential, beautiful views, near State of Maine hiking trails and Sunday River Ski Area. Imagine the possibilities!! \$1,750,000





ROAD, BETHEL; A must see home! 2 BR ranch w/central air, wired for generator, attached I car garage with direct entry into home, additional oversized 2 bay garage, outbuilding/ barn & so much more! Country living at its best yet within minutes to Bethel Village, \$254,900



SONGO POND RD, BETHEL: This 96.6 acre parcel stretches from Rte 5 to Grover Hill, ust feet from Bethel Inn Golf Course & within walking distance to Bethel Village. Ideas for development are endless, homes retirement, resort or commercial venture. Possible connection to public sewer & water. Motivated Seller!! Offered at \$2,500,000



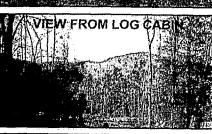
New Englander Style Home, 4 bedrooms, 1 bath, Meticulously clean and restored, 2.10 acres of fantastic land. \$199,900

EDEN RIDGE, BETHEL: This premier 3 BR, 2 bath unit abounds with charm. The warm wood walls are accented by a wood fireplace to add tto the ambiance on a chilly eve. The masterbath eatures a jacuzzi/steam tub. The third bedroom on the first floor is a great spot for those weekend guests. No need to shovel snow



SUMNER RD, WEST PARIS: Three bedroom ranch on 2 acres. Property sits half way between South Paris & Bethel, the ideal location! Sit by the warm woodstove in the winter or sit outside on the back deck and enjoy the beautiful fall colors. Nice yard for the kids and pets also!! \$149,900

INTERVALE RD, BETHEL:



Real log cabin under construc-tion! 3 bedroom, 2 bath chalet, sits on 2.5 wooded acres w/views of western mntns. Great hunting & direct access to snownobile trails. Fantastic location. 10 miles to Mt. Abram, Sunday River access road or Bethel Village. Perfect country location, perfect price! \$240,000 RD, ROXBURY: Rare find



wooded acres with great views of Whitecap, and access to major ITS snow mobile routes. Near Black Mountain ski area. A great location for that ultimate dream house. Offered at \$152,500

in Roxbury! 135 partially



STEARNS HILL, WEST PARIS:

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MILLS RD, WOODSTOCK: Perfect location! 2.6 acre lot for home or vacation property, 1.5 miles north of Bryant Pond Village, and minutes to Lake Christopher, Mt Abram Ski Area, Bethel Village & Sunday River Ski Resort. Offered @ \$37,900

BEECH RD, GREENWOOD: Two lots across from one another!! Build your dream home on one lot and trim the other lot to reveal incredible views of the mountains and a wonderful sunrise. Walk to the slopes! Boat ramp, golf and all amenities nearby. \$69,000

SUNDAY RIVER AREA, NEWRY: This 32 acre parcel has potential views of Sunday River. Property has been surveyed and soils tested. Proximity to mountain makes this an ideal site for possible subdivision.

RENALDI RD, BETHEL: Great scenic views from this elevated, secluded 59,9 acre lot. Ideal property for hunting, hiking, snowmaching or just a nice getaway. Growing timber makes for great investment property! Ski resorts, shopping dining and local entertainment just minutes away. \$25,000

RTE 26, BETHEL: Great commercial lot, 8.6 acres on major route. Level, Wooded and a fantastic location: 2.5 miles from Bethel-Village! Property sits perfectly between Mt Abram Skiway & Sunday River Skiway. \$42,000

GARDNER BROOK RD, ANDOVER: Build-able 2 acre lot, level, trees, and a babbling brook as the back border. Off the main rd, great for some peace and

quiet, wildlife viewing or great morning walks! Call today. \$29,900

FLAT RD, BETHEL: Brand new subdivision, 5.5 miles from Bethel Village! Close to town, minutes to Sunday River Ski Area, yet remote enough for some much needed peace & quiet. This lot is just over an acre, level and ready for you to start building on! \$57,000

RTE 232, BETHEL: Five acre lot w/septic plan for mobile home! 1 acre is pasture, 1 acre is meadow, 3 acres of woods. Natural back boundary is Barker

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Birch Woods, Bethel: The house of your dreams is currently under construc-tion in the prettiest & best subdivision between Bethel & Sunday River. Over 2600 sq. ft. of beautiful living space w/great room, fireplace, 4-season porch large game room, 4BR's, 3 baths, deck, farmers porch and much more. Quality countertops, hardwood flooring, finished att'd 2-car garage & architectural windows are just a few of this house's many amenities. Stone walls, walking paths, a pretty wooded setting & close proximity to both downtown Bethel &



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Round/South Pond, Greenwood: Real log cabin on 110' of picturesque WATERFRONT! View the Round/South Pond, Greenwood: Real log cabin on 110' of picturesque WATERFRONT! View the South Pond sandtar from the screened porch of this wonderful 2BR hungalow and enjoy the quier sounds of the loans in this most desirable lake location. Cute kitchen, fieldstone hearth, wide steps down to the lake, great hoat dock, a large parking area and fragrant pine trees will win you over. Make an appointment to see this property today, as this is camp #3 of a three camp offering: all three loss adjourning and all three waterfront, \$255,000



Round/South Pond, Greenwood: Adorable collage on 110' of WATERFRONT on a pine-studded lot overlooking gorgeous lake viewed There's a dock for your boats, an outdoor firepit for camp songs, great fishing just outside the door, a screened porch for relaxing, a deck for barbequeing, plenty of parking—all this on the quietest part of the lakel Strong rental history and most furnishings included, \$245,000 Bird Hill, Bethel: Enjoy views of the mountains as you sit on the bottom to the able on a pire industrial sit on the perfect ski house as it's close to Mt Abram and Sunday River Ski Areas, or it would make a wonderful quietest part of the lakel Strong rental history and a wooded lot results in very little outdoor maintenance—make an appt. to see this one! \$149,900



Lake Christopher, Bryant Pond: Stunning sandy WATERFRONT property with

up for sale, and rarely one of this caliber. Three beautiful pine BR's,

immaculate house, garage & grounds! Rarely does a house on the sh

Main St, Locke Mills Village: Renovation & remodel of this historic village structure is near completion. Attention to details & many months of labor have resulted in a structurally sound & beautiful building with three very nice 2BR apts. w/Mt. Abram & lake views. Additionally, the front entrance leads to a sunny reception area & a suite of offices for your own business or add'l rental income! Here's an investment property with low maintenance that could pay for itself. Don't miss this opportunity-call for an appointment today. \$329,000



Mid Pond, Greenwood: Views of Mud Pond from the deck & a nice high, wooded lot make this 3BR, I bath home worth a look. Split-level house started as a mobile home but you'd never know it w/partially finished hasement and other updates. Very convenient commute to either the Norway/Paris or Bethel areas—"away from it all" near the pond, but still within town distance. Make an appointment today. REDUCEDI \$99,900!





concept of this house, so call us today! \$189,000



Rte. 26/Main St, Bryant Pond: Commercial building in an ideal location on busy Rte. 26 just waiting for your business plan. Location is PRIME with broad driveway site distance, unlimited parking & expansion possibilities on 2 full acres. Come look at the unique circular-beamed ceiling and the round open spaces wlfantastic 2-level mountain views & start planning. This building also has residential possibility, so calf us for a showing today, REDUCEDI \$149,000





Upton Rd, Andover: With room for a growing family and direct entry from the house to a 2 car garage, you should definitely come and tour this house. You'll love the kitchen and living room and you'll see unlimited possibilities in the new, separate family/great room that needs a few linishing touches. Nice Andover location and a great price, so call us for a showing today! \$129,500



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Ski Village, Greenwood: This beautifully remodeled 3BR chalet at Mr. Abram Ski Area will win you over! A new kitchen whreak-fast bar, new flooring, new wood ceilings and wainscotting & much, much more! Brick hearth w/woodstove adds to the charm & you'll love the lg. backyard deck and upper HR balcony. Great location for all winter tetl/villes & for summer fun the town's ponds are just down the hill, \$175,000



Gore Rd, Woodstock: This sunny & cheerful 2-yr-old home sits on a serene 11 acre setting with woods, fields, views & a babbling frook! 3RR's, Z full baths, cathedral ceilings, kitchen wiisland, lots of large windows, a big screened porch, deck, acuzit tab & lots more! You'll be captivated by the beauty of the land and acreage and also by the charm of this new flouse. Cocation is easily accessible from major routes and "on the way" to all recreational and sky tresorts in the area. Make



Greenwood St, West Paris: True New England 3BR white rambling farmhouse w/att'd 2-story barn & insulated/heated 2-car garage. Quaint country kitchen, glearning wood floors, separate dining room, new roofing & many, many other updates make this a true value. Relax on the back screened porch with views and sounds of the bordering river! \$159,900



Patch Mountain Rd, Greenwood: Sweeping views of Hicks Pond and 220 feet of WATERFRONT! Here's your chance to own a WATERITRONT! Here's your chance to own a 4BR farmhouse on over 4 acres of beautiful pond frontage. Interior renovations with new walls & fresh paint are currently underway, so come have a look. Picture yourself founging by the inground pool, watching the canoes, kayaks & wildlife on the pond. Check our website for the photos & make an appointment today! \$299,900

KOSKELA RD. SO.WOODSTOCK: Beautiful rolling pasture land between Paris & Bryant Pond. on a nice country road, with nountain views! Eight and a half acres with 450 to of road frontage, a long brook boundary on one side and cleared fields for a choice of building sites. This lot is both large & pretty! \$69,900

OVERLOOKING SOUTH POND, WOODSTOCK: Imagine yourself sitting on the deck of your brand new home overlooking the waters of Sou's Pond, watching the sunset over the mountains and the night skiing lights of Mt. Abram Ski Area. Well, you don't have to imagine it anymore-this 1 36 acre building

lot has all that and more! \$89,900

OFF CHANDLER HILL, BETHEL: The location of HIDE A WAY HILLS subdivision can't be heat! Manutes off of Rte 26 and just a couple miles from Bethel Village. these lots ofter a perfect setting! With views of the surrounding mountains, including Mt Abram Skiway, a home built nestled in the trees would make a fantastic primary or secondary residence. \$55,000 & up

SUNSET HILL, BETHEL: Only moments to Bethel village, this wooded lot is located at the top of Sunset Hill Subdivision on the cul-de-sac! Level, wooded for privacy & a fantastic location make this lot highly desirable. Underground utilities and a 4BR septie design are ready for your blueprints. \$68,500

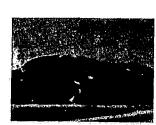
STONEYFIELDS SUBDIVISION. GREENWOOD: If a beautiful view is what you're looking for, look no further! This brand new subdivision boasts spectacular views of the western mountains. Open, level building lots, and with a location close to Mt Abram Ski Area

these lots will go quickly. Reserve yours today! \$66,000 & up HOWE HILL RD. GREENWOOD: Two acre lot across from Westside Lodge at Mt Abram Ski Area! This is an ideal building lot not only for the proximity to the lodge but also for the short drive to Bethel Village for dining, shopping & entertainment. If you prefer a bigger ski resort. Sunday River is only minutes away. \$79,900

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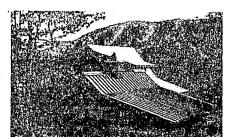


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Prestigious ski home with commanding views of all 8 interconnected mountain peaks of Sunday River Ski Resort. Open concept living spread across 3 levels. Spacious great room, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. \$1,550,000



SUNDAY RIVER HOME

4 BR, 2 BA ski house in great location just minutes from the lodge, spacious and close to mountain explorer stop, ride to the lifts, renovated with lots of room for guests and equipment. \$299,000



LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION

This dormered cape is ideally located close to town en-route to Sunday River Ski Resort. Great spot for commercial or residential use. Nice layout featuring a spacious kitchen, hardwood floors, 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, separate garage. \$199,900



STUNNING SHINGLE STYLE HOME

Just minutes from town and Sunday River, experience quality & detail in this gorgeous home. Great room/kitchen with stone fireplace, corian counters, pantry, custom cabinets & state of the art appliances, including sub zero refrigerator, double ovens. Formal DR w/ reproduction wainscoting. Birch floors, wired for home network. Screen porch w/fireplace & slate patio, Views of the White Mountains and Androscoggin River Valley. Cross country ski, canoe,

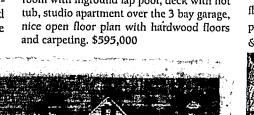


Awesome newly constructed home with beautiful mountain views located at Powder Ridge. Post and beam interior with tone fireplace. 9' ceilings, clear western red cedar siding, granite countertops, wood



PRIVACY, VIEWS, SPACIOUSNESS

Located on a dead end road with amazing views of Mt Washington & the Presidentials, this spacious home has a wonderful sun room with inground lap pool, deck with hot



### MOUNTAIN VISTA CONDOMINIUMS

Ownership at Mountain Vista puts you and your family in the center of the beauty and recreation that western Maine offers. Situated less than 5 minutes from world-class skiing and golf at Sunday River Ski Resort, Mountain Vista offers spacious 3-bedroom bi-level units. During the winter months, you will have the opportunity to ride the Mountain Explorer to Sunday River Ski Resort or the numerous shops, restaurants and pubs located along the Sunday River Road and in the village of Bethel. 9 units available starting at \$279,000.



POWDER RIDGE HOME

Spacious 3 bedroom / 3 bath log home located on a private cul-desac at Powder Ridge. Open floor plan with cathedral ceiling and lots of glass to gaze at the ski resort. Furnished. \$499,000



ACREAGE, PRIVACY AND QUALITY

Exceptional 4+ bedroom envelope home with 48± private acres with stream and pond Dream gourmet kitchen, living room with eathedral ceiling and lots of glass to gaze at the views. Finished daylight basement with unlimited possibilities. Low



INVITING DORMERED CAPE

Three bedroom, two bath dormered cape located close to town on a nice country lot. Sunny interior with southern exposure. Beautiful wood floors and lots of windows, well established perennial gardens, porch, attached garage. River & mountain views, \$235,000



WELL-MAINTAINED, CLOSE TO TOWN Special home located close to Bethel with many desirable features including beautiful hardwood floors, sun room, covered porch, bar or family room, beautifully landscaped grounds with irrigation system, hot tub and pool. Central air and much more. \$269,900



STARWOOD - COPPER HOUSE

One of a kind custom timberframe ski home in Sunday River's most exclusive new subdivision, seconds from the ski resort, mountain views, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. Open floor plan, large deck, hot tub. \$629,000



VINTAGE NEW ENGLAND CAPE

Vintage New England Cape located in a peaceful rural setting. The antique charm is always admired by passers-by. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace. Separate harness shop that has been converted into a cute rental, 2 car garage and an amazing post & beam



**GREAT FOUR SEASON RETREAT** 

Renovated 4 bedroom home just minutes from Sunday River Ski Reson and Golf Club. Surrounded by the best that nature has to offer you can hike or bike from your back door or take a leisurely swim in the river. Don't miss your opportunity to own this fantastic vacation retreat! \$310,000



**18TH CENTURY HOME** 

Gracious, historic 18th Century William Rodgers Chapman home ideally located enroute to Sunday River Ski Resort. Many recent improvements, 5 fireplaces, carriage house and separate barn. Unlimited possibilities and potential. \$479,000



SPECTACULAR SUNDAY RIVER VIEWS

Private 4 bdrm home with spectacular views of Sunday River Ski Resort and just minutes from world-class skiing and golf. Open floorplan complete with fireplace, woodstove, private master suite, large wraparound deck and hot tub. \$455,900



STUNNING SHINGLE STYLE HOME

ity & detail in this gorgeous home. Great room/ kitchen with stone fireplace, corian counters, pantry, custom cabinets & state of the art appliances, including sub zero refrigerator, double ovens. Formal DR w/ reproduction wainscoting. Birch floors, wired for home network. Screen porch w/fireplace & slate patio. Views of the White Mountains and Androscoggin River Valley. Cross country ski, canoe, ain bike from your door, \$649,000



Classic farmhouse with barn, brook, fenced pastures and fenced garden. Beautiful views of surrounding mountains, newly renovated kitchen, hardwood floors and fireplace make this cozy farmhouse a must see! \$179,000



**DELIGHTFUL VILLAGE HOME** 

Delightful village home located on a nice, quiet residential street. This 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath home has a great floor plan. Fireplace, deck, tastefully landscaped, attached garage. \$259,000

### CONDOMINIUMS

F2 SOUTH RIDGE: 2 bedroom / 2 bath ski in/out townhouse. Fully-furnished... 309 NORTH PEAK II: 2 bedroom / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Furnished... .....\$215,000

BROOKSIDE: 1 bedroom / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Great views. Furnished......\$139,000 B414 WHITE CAP: 1 bedroom / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Fully furnished.....\$139,900

C105 SUNRISE: 1 bedroom / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Fully furnished......\$135,000

BROOKSIDE: 1 bedroom / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Great views. Furnished......PENDING

BROOKSIDE: 1 bedroom / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Great views, fully-furnished......\$124,900

BROOKSIDE: 1 bedroom / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Great views. Furnished......PENDING

BROOKSIDE: Studio unit / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Great views, fully-furnished......\$87,000

Of PLEASANT RIVER: 2 bedrooms / 1 baths Minutes to Sunday River. Fully-furnished......SOLD

### LAND

| Unlimited Potential: 245 acres                 | \$299,000 |
|--|-----------|
| Songo Pond Waterfront: 1,9 acres               | \$289,000 |
| Intervale Rd Riverfrontage 19.1 acres          | \$139,900 |
| Paradise Road Views 2 acres                    | \$139,000 |
| Red House Farm Village                         | \$120,000 |
| Large Untracked Parcel: 43 acres               | \$100,000 |
| Wilson's Ripps Premier Lot: 1.94 acres         | \$99,000  |
| Bethel Views: 7 acres                          | \$95,000  |
| Private Lot With Views: 20 acres               | \$85,000  |
| South Pond Shores: 5+ acres                    | \$85,000  |
| Premier Taylor Woods Riverfront Lot: 1.7 acres | \$84,900  |
| Queen's Landing: 2 10 acre lots                | \$80,000  |

Grover Hill Road Views: 2 acres......\$89,000 Milton Plantation Scenic Lot: 34 acres......\$72,000 Close Proximity to North Pond: 1 acre......\$49,900 North Road Views: 1.1 acres......\$47,000 Albany Building Lot: 1.36 acres.....\$39,000 Ellis River, Andover: 2.6 acres......PENDING Scenic Albany Lot: 5.52 acres .....\$25,000

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| Lot 02; 1.10 acres | \$299,999 |
| Lot 07: 1.00 acres | \$260,000 |
| Lot 09: 1.00 acres | \$260,000 |
| Lot 21: 1.02 acres | \$220,000 |
| Lot 33: 1.05 acres | \$298,000 |
| Lot 35: 1.00 acres | \$235,000 |
| Lot 37: 1.09 acres | \$298,000 |
| Lot 38: 1.05 acres | \$298,000 |
| Lot 41: 1.01 acres | \$270,000 |
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POWDER RIDGE Lot 03: 1.18 acres.....PENDING Lot 12: 1.92 acres......solo Lot 15: 3.02 acres.....sold Lot 18: 1.70 acres......solb Lot 26: 4.45 acres......solo Lot 30: 3.45 acres.....\$250,000 Lot 31: 3.23 acres.....\$200,000 Lot 42: 2.02 acres.....solo Lot 78: 1.64 acres.....\$67,000 Lot 87: 1.00 acres......sold Lot 92: 1.13 acres.....\$79,900 Lot 96: 2.76 acres.....\$289,900 Lot 99: 1.09 acres.....\$115,000 Lot 104-1: 3.77 acres......sold

### MOUNTAIN VALLEY

Lot 01: 2.62 acres.....PENDING Lot 02: 2,38 acres......solo Lot 08: 2.19 acres.....\$89,900 Lot 09: 1.09 acres......solo Lot 14: 1.99 acres.....

SWAN HILL AT INTERVALE Lot 01: 2.00 acres......solo Lot 02: 2,66 acres.....\$72,900 Lot 03: 2.17 acres......\$72,900 Lot 04: 2.51 acres......\$65,900 Lot 05; 2.31 acres.....\$89,900 Lot 06: 1.31 acres.......PENDING Lot 07: 1.27 acres.....\$85,900 Lot 08: 2,52 acres.....PENDING Lot 09: 1,41 acres.....\$85,900 Lot 10: 1,65 acres.....\$85,900 Lot 11: 2,22 acres.....\$85,900 Lot 12: 2.34 acres......\$79,900 Lot 12: 1.58 acres.....\$69,900 Lot 14: 2.59 acres..... ...\$79,900

### Hidden Acres Building Lot: 2,94 acres....

Lot 01: 2.12 acres.....\$60,000 Lot 02: 1.93 acres......\$65,000 Lot 03: 2.08 acres......\$60,000 Lot 04: 1.61 acres.....\$72,000 Lot 05: 1.77 acres......\$76,000 Lot 06: 1.93 acres......\$80,000 Lot 07: 2.88 acres.....\$82,000

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NEW LISTING - BEAR LANE, GREENWOOD: What an exceptional Offering...
This Newly Constructed Spectacular Log Sided Chalet is Situated On
Beautifully Manicured, Professionally Landscaped Grounds and Boasts A
Private Backyard Area With Ski-in/Ski-out Access to Mt. Abram Trails!!! The ome features a massive Great Room with cathedral ceiling, fireplace, and an abundance of ass including sliding patio doors, spacious kitchen with custom island, adjoining dining area, first floor master bedroom suite complete with large walk-in closet and private bath showcasing a whirlpool tub & shower, and an additional first floor bedroom and bath. The cozy upper level loft provides expansion possibilities for a third bedroom, family room, or office area and potential third bath. Offering Scenic mountain vista views from the large wraparound deck, and within close proximity to area ski resorts and many local lakes and ponds, this home provides plenty of opportunities for year round use and enjoyment. An outstanding package!!!! \$369,000



COOMBS VILLAGE: Immaculate ski home in outstanding condition nestled in the quaint Coombs Village Subdivi-sion en route to some of the best skling and golf Maine has to offer! Situated on a quiet corner lot, this meticulously maintained Scandinavian style cha-let is the epitome of what a ski home should be. Two large upper level bedrooms, one with sliding glass patio doors leading to a deck, and a separate bath provide plenty of space and privacy for friends and family while the first floor master allows an intimate space for the homeowner separate from their guests. The spacious living/dining room is perfect for entertaining or for relaxing in front of the cozy woodstove after a long hard day on the slopes. Wonderful entryway mudroom, nice exterior deck, and a full basement offer plenty of storage and organization possibilities. **An ideal getaway in a great location at a fantastic price! \$399,000** 



New Listings – Sunday River Estates Condominiums: Newly Constructed Townhome Style Condominium Units Conveniently Located En Route To Sunday River Ski Resort On The Sunday River Road. Offering approximately 3,000 sq. ft, of living space throughout its spacious tri-level design, these units showcase an open and inviting first floor with a spacious kitchen, separate dining area, living room with gas stove and large center island. Other desirable features include a second floor master bedroom with cathedral ceiling and private full bath, entryway mud room, ceramic tile flooring, Berber carpeting, and lock-out studio style unit with private entrance in the finished daylight basement. In all 4 Bedrooms, 3 Full Baths, and all the accoutrements a home of this caliber should offer. Must See!!! #5 4 BR/4 Baths \$459,900 #6 4 BR/4 Baths \$439,900

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BAILEY ROAD, BETHEL: Nestled In An Exceptionally Charming, Sought derful 5 Bedroom cape style home, This 4-Story Quality Post & Beam Home is NEW OWNERSHIP! Nine Premiere Contemporary home, has been partially reno-Atter Neighborhood Only 1+/- Mile from partially bordered by a charming rock sit in the most coveted of Villages, discover this spacious and open contemporary. Offering a spectacular combination of rich pine-paneled walls should be a glorious country also should be a glorious country and should be a glorious count tablished, precedent-setting subdivision on a Offering Custom house plans of stick built, log



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BROOKSIDE BUILDING I

I-B-401 2 Bdrm/1 Bath \$215,000 **BROOKSIDE BUILDING II** IJ-B-207 Studio/1 Bath \$84,000 II-A-213 \$89,900 Studio/1 Bath II-A-214 Studio/1 Bath \$97,900 II-A-115 1 Bdrm/1 Bath **PENDING** II-B-314 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$134,900 II-A-306 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$139,900 **CASCADES** Studio/1 Bath B-16 \$89,900 **FALL LINE** 1 Bdrm/1 Bath N-111 SOLD E-106 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD 1 Bdrm/1 Bath W-111 SOLD 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD LOCKE MOUNTAIN 4 Bdrm/31/2 Bath \$699,000 4 Bdrm/31/2 Bath SOLD **MERRILL BROOK** 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$199,900 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD NORTHPEAK 2 Bdrm/1 Bath \$212,900 1-306 WHITE CAP B-214 1 Bdrm/1 Bath PENDING 1 Bdrm/1 Bath A-305 \$145,900 1 Bdrm/1 Bath A-208 PENDING SOUTH RIDGE 1 Bdrm/1 Bath **B-4** \$194,000 F-5 2 Bdrm/11/2 Bath \$279,900

2 Bdrm/11/2 Bath

3 Bdrm/11/2 Bath

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2 Bdrm/2 Bath

Loft/1 Bdrm/1 Bath

2 Bdrm/21/2 Bath

LAKE CHRISTOPHER CONDOMINIUMS 2 Bdrm/11/2 Bath

CHAMBERLAIN CONDOMINIUMS

**BETHEL INN TOWNHOMES** 

**POWDER RIDGE TOWNHOMES** 

AREA TOWNHOMES 🗼

2 Bdrm/2 Bath + Loft

\$299,000

\$334,900

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PENDING

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**OPERA HOUSE** 

RIVERBEND

SUNRISE

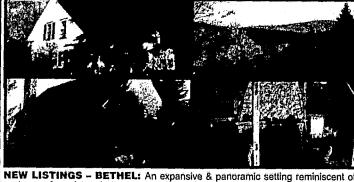
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NEW LISTINGS - BETHEL: An expansive & panoramic setting reminiscent of esteryear is replete w/unique vintage barn of enormous proportions having served ers of the renowned Tiflany family as a customized country retreat. A massive ieldstone fireplace most aptly serves as a majestic local point of this must be seen ri-level structure. Offered on 2 acres at \$199,000!! Stately Turn-Of-The-Century Greek Revival home is sit'd nearby offering handsome parlor w/fireplace formal dining room, country kitchen, fabulous family room showcasing exposed beams & custom built-ins, 3 BRs, 1½ baths, full bsmnt w/greenhouse area & lovely grounds. Offered on 2 acres at \$299,000!! Buy house and barn on 5 acres at \$459,000!!! Additional Acreage Possibly Available.





NEW LISTING - FOREST HOMES SUBDIVISION: Located on the outskirts of the quintessential Village of Bethel on a rare & scenic parcel con-sisting of almost 6 private acres, Come Across This handsome log sided home of spectacular dimensions. Built in 2005 in a sought after residential area only minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort as well as golf courses, lakes & many other recreations, this 4 BR plus loft, 4 Bath home will accommodate the largest of clans throughout its beautifully furnished interior. Inclusive of a massive Great Room with eye catching stone fireplace & adjoining kitchen with cente



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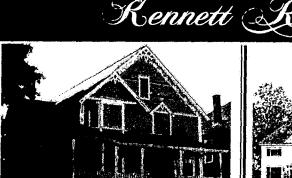


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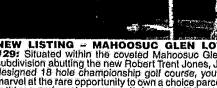
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NEW LISTING! HILLSIDE PINES LOT #9, BETHEL VILLAGE AREA: The Largest Lot in This Preferred Subdivision is Now Available For Sale! Consisting of 2.55 +/- acres with frontage on coveted Paradise Hill Road, an expansive building envelope awaits your custom dream home. This Most Competitively priced parcel in a most desirable area is offered at only \$56,900!





New Listing Bear River Rd.: This Peaceful 5 +/- acre lot has great swimming access in the Bear River and views of Puzzle Mountain. Only minutes from Grafton Notch State Park and local hiking trails. Within close proximity to Sunday River Ski Resort and Bethel Area Amenities. \$149,900





NEW LISTING — MAHOOSUC GLEN LOT #29: Situated within the coveted Mahoosuc Glen subdivision abutting the new Robert Trent Jones, Jr. designed 18 hole championship golf course, you'll marvel at the rare opportunity to own a choice parcel in this up and coming community located within minutes of renowned ski terrain and neighboring New England's newest golf destination! \$225,000; LOT B 6.7 ACRES \$150,000

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NEW LISTING LOT 6 WESTWOODS, BETHEL:
Scenic 6.0 + Acre Parcel Snowcasing the Posterior Peaks
of Sunday River Skiway. This future home site nestled in
the community of Westwood's offers the peacefulness of
nature with Magnificent Views! Located within minutes
of Bethel Village amerifies and offering close proximity
to both Sunday River & Mt. Abram Ski Resorts. This lot
awaits your Primary or Vacation Homel! \$89,000

#4 #14 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD 2 Bdrm/2 Bath SOLD SUNDAY RIVER QUARTERSHARES JORDAN GRAND QUARTERSHARE \$17,500 Studio/1 Bath

155-D Studio/1 Bath \$22,500 116-C Studio/1 Bath \$22,900 139-C Studio/1 Bath \$26,000 \$36,500 1 Bdrm/1 Bath 163-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$36,500 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$36,500 163-C 163-D \$36,500 1 Bdrm/1 Bath 254-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$42,900 144-C \$46,000 1 Bdrm/1 Bath 156-C \$46,000 1 Bdrm/1 Bath 124/126-A 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$49,000 248/250-B \$49,500 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$49,900 243/245-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$49,900 209/211-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath 104/106-B \$50,000 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$54,000 263/265-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath GRAND SUMMIT QUARTERSHARE \$13,000 Studio/1 Bath \$13,900 115-D Studio/1 Bath 121-C Studio/1 Bath \$16,000 105-C Studio/1 Bath \$18,000 188/190-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$33,500 \$41,000 120/122-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath 289/291-0 \$43,000 2 Bdrm/2 Bath 241/243-D \$55,000 2 Bdrm/2 Bath Studio/1 Bath PENDING

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Lakeside Cemetery, Bryant

Pond. Memorials in her mem-

ory are requested to the Led-

geview Living Center Activi-

ties Fund, 141 Bethel Road,

West Paris, ME 04289.

Kathleen is survived by

two daughters, Beverly Tut-

tle of Bethel and Margie Var-

ney of Greenville, S.C.; two

sons, Peter Cox of Woodbine,

Kan., and Charles McAllister

of South Paris: 18 grandchil-

dren; 43 great-grandchildren;

and 13 great-great-grandchil-

dren; as well as a good friend

and roommate, Emily Mae

Dubois of Ledgeview Liv-

ing Center. She was prede-

ceased by her first husband,

Burton Cox, and her second

husband, Russell McAllister;

two daughters, Norma Burns

and Gwendolyn Saunders;

two brothers, Raymond and

Paul Clark; six sisters, Eve-

lyn Cushing, Madeline Rice,

Iva Huntley, Marther Morri-

son, Gertrude Leighton and

Lois Freeto; three grandchil-

dren, Jay Cox, Michael Cox

held at the Andrews Funer-

al Home, South Woodstock,

on Sunday, Nov. 20, with Pas-

tor Lloyd Waterhouse offici-

ating. Burial followed in the

and Sandra McAllister.

Funeral services

### *Obituaries*



KATHLEEN MCALLISTER Kathleen Clark McAllister, 93, of Bryant Pond, died Nov. 17, 2005 at Stephens Memorial Hospital. She had been a resident at Ledgeview Living Center for several years.

She was born April 15, 1912 in Pembroke, the daughter of the late William Clark and



Sunday River

Road, Bethel

9am-5pm

7 days a week

Gertrude Robinson Clark, Kathleen married Russell C. McAllister in 1951; he died in

She was very active in many including organizations Franklin Grange, American Legion Auxiliary in Locke Mills, Daughters of Veterans, Pythian Sisters State Temple 1, past matron and long-time secretary of Jefferson Chapter 89 O.E.S. of Bryant Pond, past trustee of Whitman Memorial Library and in past year an active member of the Republican Party. She loved working in the polls on Election Day.

She took painting lessons and loved to paint. She also loved to travel and visit the different organizations she belonged to.

Kathleen was noted for her uncanny ability to remember the birth dates of the many family members.

She worked for many years at Stowell's Mill and Mann's Mill in Bryant Pond and spent some time at MacKillop's Store in Bryant Pond and McKeen's Orchards in West Paris. She was also a bookkeeper for her husband's plumbing and heating business, R. C. McAllister.

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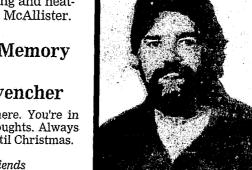
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WILLARD A. WIGHT

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the Ledgeview Living Center

He was born in Newry on

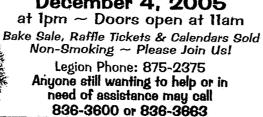
after a battle with cancer.

Willard "Bill" Wight, 87, of

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### Continued on page 19 Dec. 14, 1917, the son of Fred

W. and Ida M. (Littlehale) Wight. He attended school in Newry and graduated from Gould Academy as a member of the Class of 1935 and attended two years of college at the University of Maine at Orono.

He was a World War II veteran, having served his country for four years in the U.S. Army 70th Infantry Division. He received a Purple Heart after being injured in France.

On June 6, 1943, he married Sylvia T. Barnett in Rumford. He and his family lived in Old Town for 20 years, where he was a member of the Federated Church of Stillwater.

He was employed by the Maine Forest Service for more than 28 years and retired as the Eastern Regional Supervisor in 1973. After his retirement, he moved back to the family farm in Newry. He became active in town affairs and served as a town of Newry selectman for 20 years. He was also a member of the Newry Volunteer Fire Department,

Newry Grange, A.F. & A.M. 97 of Bethel, American Legion of Bethel, Bethel Historical Society and the Newry Community Church.

He was an avid snowmobiler for more than 30 years and held various offices with the Windy Valley Snowmobile Club and the Maine Snowmobile Association.

He is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Sylvia; two sons, Stephen W. Wight and his wife Marlene of Old Town, and David L. Wight and his wife Anne of Greenbush; one daughter, Gretchen Strauss and her husband William of Waterford; six grandchildren, Jason, Jennifer, Rachel, Stephanie, Julie and Melissa; four great-grandchildren; and one brother, F. Owen Wight of Newry.

Funeral services were held at the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Bethel, on Monday, Nov. 21. Memorials are requested to the Newry Community Church, c/o Owen Wight, 1683 Bear River Road, Newry, ME 04261.

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God Bless You All

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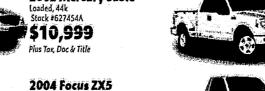


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